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MOST SCATHING DECISION GIVEN

Gompers, Morrison and Mitchell Must Stand Trial.

COURT REFUSES TO DISMISS CHARGES

Justice Wright Passes Upon the Contempt Case.

The Matter Arises from Publication of Name of Bucks Stove Company in an "Unfair List" in Violation of an Injunction—Wright Declares Suit Settled Last Year Has No Bearing on Contempt Charges.

Washington, Nov. 23.—In a scathing decision, Justice Daniel Thew Wright today refused to dismiss the contempt charges against President Gompers, Vice President Mitchell and Secretary Morrison, of the American Federation of Labor, in the famous Bucks Stove & Range company case, in the district supreme court.

This means that Wright will again attempt to force the labor leaders to trial. The defendants demurred to the report of a "special prosecuting committee," which recommended renewed proceedings. Justice Wright decided against them and took occasion to flay the labor leaders.

The supreme court of the United States last spring dismissed the defendants, who then were under jail sentences pronounced by Justice Wright. The highest court, however, gave its decision "without prejudice" against renewed action. The labor leaders had not actually been committed to jail.

The case arose from the publication of the name of the Bucks concern in an "unfair list" in violation of an injunction. The trouble between organized labor and the Bucks company was settled last year, but Justice Wright holds that this has no bearing on the offense against the dignity of the court.

Meritless Contention.

The court held that the statute of limitations for prosecution of crimes has no application to prosecutions for contempt of court, and that the contention of the labor leaders that the alleged contempt was committed more than three years ago is meritless. Three days were given to counsel for the defendants to reach an agreement with the "committee of prosecutors" as to the appointment of a commissioner or special examiner to take testimony in the case. If an agreement can not be reached within time, the court will appoint one.

The opinion covers more than thirty typewritten pages.

Wright, in opening, referred to the "nature of the specifications," saying that "their character is so serious and grave, seeking as they do to involve, if true, a declared unfriendliness to social order, a plain and purposed repudiation of the tribunals of the people, a defiance of the supremacy of the law of the land an open determination to be done with law for certain cases."

The opinion was read by Justice Wright with his five associates sitting in general session. The courtroom was crowded to the utmost capacity.

Notice of Appeal.

Notice of a special appeal to the court of appeals was filed by counsel for the defendants. An attempt will be made to carry the case to the upper courts before testimony is taken.

As to the charge of delay, Justice Wright said that the two paragraphs virtually charging delay, seem at best frivolous and insincere."

The court, however, made this statement:

"If the assumption that he is contesting with courts as judges, the respondent can not too soon relieve the mind, for if the charges are true, his contest is against the supremacy of the law. The only concern of the judges is that the supremacy be maintained; in that, in the name of the people, that supremacy shall be maintained."

Received With Anger.

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 23.—News of Justice Wright's decision adverse to Gompers, Mitchell and Morrison was received with anger by the delegates to the American Federation of Labor convention, who immediately broke up into groups to discuss it.

President Gompers read to the convention telegrams announcing the decision of Justice Wright. He then read the committee report criticizing Wright and added:

"Insofar as any case coming before Justice Wright involves men of organized labor as defendants, he is entirely incompetent to render a fair and impartial decision. I am ready to accept as my own utterance the report of the committee which I have just read to you."

This was loudly cheered and the report criticizing Wright was adopted by the convention with great enthusiasm. The report says:

"In the opinion of this committee the whole proceeding has more of the characteristics of persecution than trial and it is very difficult indeed to understand the conduct of Judge Wright, except under the theory that he is lacking in the temper and qualifications that should and do usually constitute a judge, and we can not help but express our deep regret that a man so lacking in judicial temperament should ever have been elevated to the bench."

The convention today endorsed every clause of Gompers' annual report and made it the official report of the convention.

Dunlap Comes Out.

Columbus, O., Nov. 23.—Former State Food and Dairy Commissioner Rennick W. Dunlap, of Pickaway county, today announced his candidacy for the Republican congressional nomination in the Seventh district.

Archbishops in Rome.

Rome, Nov. 23.—Archbishops Farley and Falconio arrived here today. Monsignor Kennedy, of the American college in Rome and auxiliary Bishop O'Connell, of San Francisco, met them at the station.

BEEF PACKERS' SUIT DELAYED

Lawyers Appeal to Chief Justice White.

SUPREME COURT TO GET WHOLE MATTER

White Agrees To Present Case to Court..

Though Chief Justice Refuses To Issue Order for Stay of Proceedings in Chicago, He Consents To Take Case to Court a Week from Next Monday—Packers' Attorneys Confident of Winning Out.

Washington, Nov. 23.—Counsel for the beef packers, of Chicago, this afternoon succeeded in obtaining a further delay in the government suit against them by an appeal to Chief Justice White, of the United States supreme court at his residence here.

Though the chief justice refused to issue an order for a stay of proceedings in the court in Chicago, he did consent to present the whole matter to the supreme court on its reconvening a week from next Monday.

Counsel for the packers, Levi Mayer and John S. Miller this afternoon declared that they were confident that the lower court would recognize this action of the chief justice, and continue the trial until the supreme court renders its decision.

The lawyers handed the chief justice a petition, praying him to issue an order for a stay of proceedings. This petition was based on an attack on the constitutionality of the Sherman anti-trust law as interpreted by the supreme court in the Standard Oil and Tobacco trust decisions.

Chief Justice White received the petition, but said he could not comply with their request for an order for a stay of proceedings. The matter was of such importance, the chief justice said, that he felt it should be referred to the entire court. He would, therefore, he said, present the petition to the court when it reconvenes, December 4.

SIXTY PERSONS ARE HURLED TO DEATH

When French Passenger Train Goes into Thouet River.

Saumur, France, Nov. 23.—A passenger train plunged into the Thouet river at Montreuil-Bellay today and sixty persons were drowned. A flood had carried out the bridge and the train, rounding a curve at top speed, leaped from the abutment.

The coaches contained about 100 passengers, many of whom perished in their compartments. Others, coming to the surface, were swept down stream to their deaths. A few clung to trees until help reached them.

DROWNS IN A POOL AFTER SAILING LAKES

Captain James Egan Dies in Detroit Today.

Detroit, Nov. 23.—After sailing the Great Lakes for sixty years, braving many storms and having many narrow escapes from death, Captain James Egan, eighty-two, this morning, drowned in a pool of water, only a few inches deep. According to the coroner's statement, the old mariner was probably seized with a fainting spell, and fell face downward in a pool.

STANLEY FACES STEEL MUZZLE

And Government Probe May End in Fizzle.

STANLEY SUSPENDS PUBLIC HEARINGS

Technicality Raised by Counsel for Trust.

Attorneys Argue That, Pending Federal Dissolution, Suit Forbids Any Further Inquiry into Steel Combine by Stanley's Committee—Rockefeller and Pastor Gates Wanted by Chairman To Tell Their Stories.

Washington, Nov. 23.—Fighting against a muzzle steel trust interests wish to fasten on him, Representative Stanley, on the floor of the house, will demand that the Democratic majority back him in what he believes is "not only a necessary line of inquiry from the legal point of view, but a great work for humanity."

Stanley is convinced that John D. Rockefeller should be called in person before the house steel committee to explain his side of the remarkable story related on the witness stand yesterday by "Lon" Merritt, who directly charged Rockefeller with cheating him out of property then worth $10,000,000 and now of untold value.

Stanley also believes that the Rev. F. T. Gates, whose chief occupation is looking after Rockefeller's charities, should explain his connection with the deals in which Merritt alleges he represented Rockefeller and was the agent through whom Rockefeller "skinned" him. Merritt charged that Gates proposed a plan to him which amounted to plain stealing and Stanley thinks Gates should have a chance to reply.

Rests on Technicality.

On a technicality in the resolution creating the committee, however, Steel trust attorneys now argue that the pending government dissolution suit forbids any further inquiry into the trust by Stanley's committee. On their proposition, the committee is divided and Stanley is about to lose control.

Stanley was compelled to suspend public hearings until after congress meets, but in the meantime, Stanley will continue his investigations. He will tell the house that his probe has just begun to reach the real sore spots. To stop the inquiry now, he will contend, would defeat its purpose and probably preclude any possibility of the facts now sought ever being revealed. He will contend that the bill of particulars in the government dissolution suit does not touch upon any important matters which he expects to bring out.

DISGRACED PASTOR GOES FROM LONDON

Dismissed as Domestic Chaplain to King George.

London, Nov. 23.—Though a pretense is being made at Scotland Yard today of a vigorous hunt for the Rev. Frederick Percival Farrar, who has disappeared following his dismissal from the post of domestic chaplain to King George and for whom a warrant is said to be out, no one believed that the authorities wish or intend to catch the disgraced clergyman.

The general opinion is that a hint was deliberately given Farrar at least two weeks before his disappearance that it would be well for him to vanish and that sufficient time was given him to settle his affairs and provide himself with funds to bury himself under an assumed name and in some place where he will never be heard from by the outside world again.

Disappearances of this kind, prearranged by the authorities, of persons who on account of their position or connections can not be prosecuted without serious embarrassment to the government, are by no means unprecedented in England.

Rev. Mr. Farrar's case is obviously one of these. The character of the accusations against him is such, it is whispered, that their ventilation in open court, considering the intimate relations the clergyman was on with royalty, would be exceedingly painful.

Can Expect the Worst.

Cleveland, Nov. 23.—"When a woman tries matrimony with a man she has known only two months, the best she can expect is the worst of it," said Judge Estep in granting a divorce resulting from a hasty marriage.

Sues Bride's Parents.

Cleveland, Nov. 23.—William Costello, chauffeur, who eloped with Miss Helen Peach, of East Liverpool, has brought suit against the bride's parents for $30,000, alleging they persuaded her to desert him.

SPANISH ROYALISTS PLAN ANOTHER INVASION OF PORTUGAL



OPORTO : PORTUGAL

According to advices from Portugal another invasion by the royalists is imminent. The royalists say they will be aided by Portuguese troops, who will revolt in their favor. It is planned to strike the first blow at Oporto.

PRINCE REGENT OUT OF HUMOR

He Has a Tiff with the New Premier.

THE REVOLUTION KEEPS ON MOVE

Republicans Refuse To Yield to Yuan Shi.

Provinces Refuse To Become Reconciled to Retention of Monarchial Form of Government—Details of Story That an Assassin Attempts Life of Yuan Shi Are Carefully Suppressed.

Peking, Nov. 23.—That the republicans will not yield to Yuan's dictatorial power and his monarchical policy, is now pretty generally understood.

An edict has been issued dispensing with the premier's customary daily audience with the throne and empowering him to make decisions without reference to the regent except when he judges this to be necessary. This further has caused much comment. There is an unconfirmable report that the edict was the outcome of a stormy audience at which Yuan angered the regent by expressing the fear that he would be unable to hold up the revolution so long as the Manchus reigned. Yuan is reported to have met the regent's indignation by repeating that with the material at his disposal and an empty treasury he could not more than guarantee the lives of the imperial family. The audience seems to have ended abruptly.

Threatens Death Penalty.

Yuan, in addition to his preparations to crush the rebellion with the military now threatens death for any revolutionary actions and severe penalties for persons who even discuss the revolution. It is reported that he has succeeded in squelching the proposed convention which was to consider the future form of government for the country.

The meetings of the foreign ministers daily are causing constant rumors of foreign intervention.

Rumors are current to the effect that an attempt was made to assassinate Yuan Shih Kai, but details of the incident are suppressed.

Fierce Fight Rages.

Hankow (via Wu Hu), Nov. 23.—The fighting is now the fiercest that has yet occurred, and the firing is more deadly. An imperial general has been killed and the casualties on both sides have been extremely numerous. Foreigners are very indignant over the lack of protection or the concessions, which are in danger of being attacked by either of the combatants.

The British are appealing to Sir John Newell Jordan, the minister at Peking, for troops. They say that their subjects everywhere between Hankow and Szechuen are in the gravest peril.

One American Escaped.

Peking, Nov. 23. — The extent of the massacre at Sian Fu is not yet fully cleared up, but it seems not to have exceeded what has already been reported, the death of Mrs. Beckman, an American school teacher, and five foreign children; a German in the Chinese mail service and a number of Chinese girls who were attending Mrs. Beckman's school. Mr. Beckman was wounded, but managed to escape with his child.

DELAYS RESULT IN LYNCH LAW

Declares Roosevelt in Attacking Mob Spirit.

LEGAL STUMBLING BLOCKS ASSAILED

Criminal Assaults Should Be a Capital Crime.

Roosevelt Says Slowness in Deciding Cases, Readiness To Admit Appeals, Subordination of Justice to Legal Technicalities and Other Things Result Frequently in the Miscarriage of Justice.

New York, Nov. 23.—Declaring that legal delays often result in exhibitions of lynch law, and demanding that criminal assault upon women be made a capital crime, for which there must be an immediate trial, Theodore Roosevelt, in the current number of a New York magazine today attacked lynching in unmeasured terms.

"The repeated race riots and lynchings that have occurred in the northern states during the last decade must have convinced the least observant that neither race feeling nor the tendency to lynching is in a sense peculiar to the South. It is a horrible thing for which the whole country must bear responsibility. * * * But mere denunciation of the crime of a mob amounts to little or nothing. We must recognize what the facts are that excite the mob to act.

"Dreadful though it is for the mob spirit to be aroused in a community by such a crime, it would be an even worse calamity if the community did not feel the fury of indignation which produces the mob spirit. There is no question that there are serious breakdowns in the administration of justice in America. Slowness in deciding cases, readiness to admit appeals, the subordination of justice to legal technicalities, the irritating delays in getting the machinery of the law into motion and the utter improper attention paid by the courts to the sharpness of lawyers in invoking technicalities—all of these result in frequent miscarriages of justice, and in delays, if long enough, amount, especially in their effect upon the public, to an absolute miscarriage of justice."

Married Sixty-Six Years.

Marysville, Nov. 23.—The sixty-sixth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Philemon Tossey was celebrated Wednesday at their home in Mill Creek township. Mr. Tossey is eighty-eight and his wife is eighty-seven.

Chief Kohler's Latest.

Cleveland, Nov. 23.—Here's a new "golden rule" theory of police Chief Kohler: "Laws are like drugs and should be kept on the shelves just as a doctor keeps drugs—to be used when needed."

Easy To Make Gold.

Chicago, Nov. 23.—It's the easiest thing in the world to make gold out of silver or any of the baser metals, declared Rudolph M. Hunter, of Philadelphia. He said he had a secret process. He's still working.

To Present Hula Hula.

Chicago, Nov. 23.—"Prince Cupid" Kalanianaole, delegate from Hawaii, wants to introduce the Hawaiian hula hula here. He gave a chastened representation here en route to Washington.

PARIS STIRRED BY A SCANDAL

In Which Madame Curie Is Involved.

RADIUM DISCOVERER ALLEGED INDISCREET

Has Little Romance with College Professor.

Officials of Sarbonne University Attempt To Suppress Story, but a Paris Newspaper Digs Up Facts of Noted Woman Scientist's Love Affair, Quoting Parts of Letters Passing Between Them.

Paris, Nov. 23.—Ever since the first publication of an alleged romance between Madame Curie, the discoverer of radium, and Professor Langevin, officials of Sarbonne university have been doing all in their power to suppress the story.

But a Paris newspaper has printed what it says is a verbatim copy of the complaint lodged by Madame Langevin against her husband. This complaint charges that, July 15, 1910, Professor Langevin rented, under his own name, an apartment in the Rue De Banquier, renewed the lease October 19, 1910, until July 15, 1911, under the name of Crosnoer, and that the professor and Madame Curie met there continually to the scandal of the neighborhood.

Several letters are quoted in support of Madame Langevin's claims.

"I am trembling with impatience at the thought of seeing you again," wrote the professor in one letter, "to tell you how I have missed you, to kiss you tenderly, to hear your voice and to see your dear eyes."

"There are the profoundest affinities between us," says a letter from Madame Curie to Langevin, "which need only a favorable mode of life for development."

Throughout the letters, the words, "chez nous," meaning at our home, are repeatedly used.

VICTIMS TURN TABLES ON BLACK HANDERS

Lure Three to Lonely Spot, Kill Two and Wound Third.

Chicago, Nov. 23.—Unable to deliver three Black Hand terrorists over to the law because of insufficient legal evidence, victims of their operations lured Francisco Denello, Pasquale Demico and Stefano Denello, to an unfrequented spot, shot two of them and mortally wounded the third. This is the explanation advanced today by the police. The shooting occurred last night in a tunnel under the Rock Island railroad tracks, and was evidently perfectly planned. The men were literally riddled with bullets from magazine pistols.

"The city is rid of a bad gang," declared Police Captain Harding.

Costs a Big Penny.

Chicago, Nov. 23.—Illinois, new pension law, where mothers are paid by the state the money heretofore spent in caring for their children, may cost Cook county $5,000,000 a year, is the declaration of County Agent Meyer.

Hebrew Aids Employes.

Chicago, Nov. 23.—The will of late Leon Mandel, millionaire department store owner, left $50,000 as a fund to aid employes, and a like sum to Jewish charities.

WEALTHY GROOM SUED BY WIDOW

Millersburg Woman Seeks To Recover $3,000.

LOGAN FARMER LOSES SUIT AGAINST STATE

The State Can Now Destroy His Dam.

Man Who Weds Caldwell Girl Week Ago Now Seeks Divorce—Senator La Follette Will Stump Ohio in a Few Weeks—Coshocton County Sheriff Is Arrested in Nevada. Sausage Kills Man.

Millersburg, O., Nov. 23. Thomas Williams, 71, a wealthy farmer, whose first wife was killed at a railroad crossing two years ago, has been sued by Mrs. Sarah S. Fites, a widow, who charges breach of promise, and asks for $3,000. She was formerly his housekeeper and says he promised to marry her after two years from the date of the death of his first wife. In the meantime he met another widow, Mrs. B. M. Purdy of Killbuck, and on Oct. 25 he married her.

McBroom Loses Suit.

Columbus, O., Nov. 23. — John W. McBroom of Logan has lost out in his efforts to stop the state from blowing up the dam in the abandoned Hocking canal at that place, from which he has been getting water power for his mill for many years. The circuit court of Hocking county has handed down a decision affirming rulings by two common pleas judges, holding that the state has the right to destroy the dam.

First Husband Seeks Divorce.

Coshocton, O., Nov. 23.—J. Foy Cochran, Coshocton contractor, filed divorce proceedings against Olga Garber of Caldwell, whom he married a week ago and who at once eloped with Bennett Hall, a Newark railroader, and was again married at Covington, Ky.

Will Open Headquarters.

Cleveland, O., Nov. 23. — Senator Robert M. LaFollette, progressive candidate for the Republican nomination for president, will be in Ohio within two weeks, according to word received by Cleveland progressives. John D. Flackler will immediately establish headquarters in Columbus for the progressives.

Coshocton Sheriff Arrested.

Coshocton, O., Nov. 23.—Prosecutor George Klein announced he would fight the habeas corpus proceeding at Reno, Nev., that has held Sheriff McDonald of this county there in his attempt to bring back Frank Shaffer, wanted here for family abandonment.

Dies From Sausage Poison.

St. Clairsville, O., Nov. 23.—Henry C. Swanigan, 52, president of the Provident local United Mine Workers of America, is dead of ptomaine poisoning caused by eating sausages.

GEORGE POMEROY SUCCEEDS FOOTE

The Ohio State Board of Commerce Elects New Officers.

Columbus, O., Nov. 23.—Adoption of resolutions in regard to the making of a new constitution for Ohio, the reading of the president's annual address, largely devoted to that subject, and adoption of resolutions favoring 1-cent letter postage, also a chance to permit corporations to report on the federal corporation tax for their fiscal year, made up the business transacted at the annual meeting of the Ohio state board of commerce.

The annual election resulted in the choice of George E. Pomeroy of Toledo as president, succeeding Allen Ripley Foote of Columbus; J. E. Brown of Mansfield as vice president, and C. D. Firestone of Columbus as treasurer.

Mr. Foote will be elected as chairman of the executive committee. The organization has no secretary. While Mr. Foote retires as president, he will continue to be its guiding spirit. His annual address was largely devoted to the question of constitution making and contained many suggestions in regard to the framing of the new fundamental law. Popular election of all officials exercising legislative or executive powers, regulation of public service corporations, a state merit system, punishment for publishing or circulating false or misleading statements, educational qualifications for the suffrage, taxation reforms and other subjects will be treated at length.

Enormous Stamp Order.

Chicago, Nov. 23.—A Chicago mail order house established a new record for the local postoffice when it purchased 5,000,000 one-cent postage stamps in one order.

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PRINZ JOACHIM ON THE ROCKS

Big Liner Reported Sinking Off Samana Island.

WILLIAM J. BRYAN ONE OF PASSENGERS

Numerous Vessels Hurry to the Ship's Assistance.

The Prinz Joachim Hits Rocks Near San Domingo, Getting Thirty Miles Out of Regular Course—Vessel Is One of Hamburg-American Line's Modern Ships—Liner in Charge of Captain A. Fey.

New York, Nov. 22.—According to wireless messages received here, the Hamburg-American liner, Prinz Joachim, on which William Jennings Bryan is one of the passengers, went ashore on the rocks off Samana island, near Santa Domingo, early today. Mrs. Bryan and their six-year-old grandson, John Bryan, are with the Democratic leader.

The wireless reports the ship to be resting easily and adds that the passengers are in no "immediate danger."

If the Prinz Joachim has gone ashore at the point indicated, the shipping men declare she must have been far off her course, as she should not have been in that vicinity.

Bryan was on his way to visit his daughter, Mrs. Ruth Owen, in Kingston. He expected to spend the winter in Panama, after his visit.

Among the first-class passengers were W. B. Ceby, of Convent City, Michigan, and Dr. Eugene Gouczi, of Chicago; Dr. and Mrs. D. C. Inkstetler, Hamilton, Ontario; A. E. Rumelin, Pittsburgh; Frank E. Weston, Philadelphia. Albert Blarer, Philadelphia.

Samana island is in one of the small outlying bays of the Bahamas, located just southeast of San Salvador, where Columbus landed. It is also known as Atwoods Key and is an uninhabitable rock about a mile wide and eight miles long. The vessel went ashore at 3 o'clock this morning.

According to marine men, the Prinz Joachim must have been twenty-five miles or more off her course. The vicinity always is avoided by sailors as being particularly dangerous.

Boat Reported Sinking.

Later reports received here by wireless declare that the vessel is in a sinking condition and that immediate aid is needed. It is believed, however, all the passengers can be landed in the lifeboats in safety unless aid arrives before the vessel breaks up. Numerous vessels, attracted by the wireless calls of the Prinz Joachim, are hurrying to her aid. Among the vessels that have reported themselves on the way are the Colon, of the Panama Railroad & Steamship line.

The Prinz Joachim left New York Saturday morning for Fortune island, Santiago, Kingston and Colon. The place where she went ashore is thirty miles from Fortune island.

The vessel is a modern boat of 4,750, belonging to the so-called Prinzen class, used by the Atlas line of the Hamburg-American in its South American and East Indian service. It developes a speed of fourteen knots an hour and generally carries a large number of tourists.

A wireless message received at 9:30 declared the passengers were calm, and all preparations had been completed by the crew to take them off as soon as one of the rescuing steamers reached there.

Officials of the Hamburg-American line made the following statement regarding the wreck just before noon.

"A brief wireless dispatch informed us that the Prinz Joachim went ashore early today on a key near Atwoods Isle. The vessel is resting easily and there is no danger to the seventy passengers. Aid has been dispatched from Kingston and we expect another message within a few hours that the ship has been refloated. The passengers will not be taken off."

The vessel is in charge of Captain A. Fey.

WOMEN CAUSE RIOT AT TRIAL

Patterson Cause Is Enlivened by Morbid Fair Sex.

PRISONER CRUSHED BY ENFORCED SILENCE

Peeved Because She Can Not Contradict Tales.

Indicted Woman Hints That She Fears Jurors Will Bring in Verdict Demanded by Prosecution, Believing That Very Silence Is Charged Against Her—Defense Puts on Excellent Witness.

Denver, Col., Nov. 23.—A riot took place in the criminal court building today at the opening of the fourth day's session of the murder trial of Mrs. Gertrude Patterson.

The instant the bailiffs opened the doors, the mob of curious women waiting outside made a rush for the entrance. They pushed and jostled and resorted to hair pulling. A number of women were knocked down and trampled, one being so badly hurt that she had to be taken to the sheriff's office, where the police surgeon attended her. Mrs. Patterson, who was approaching the door at the time, ignored the clamor. She chatted cheerfully with her attorney until after the noise had subsided and then entered the court-room.

The first state witness today, Police Surgeon W. R. Mudd, proved an excellent witness for the defense. He said that after the tragedy September 25, he took the defendant to the police station. He testified she told him her husband struck her and then handed her a revolver and said: "Now, damn you, kill yourself."

The witness said the defendant's cheek was very red, indicating that she had been struck in the face.

Dr. S. T. Parsons testified that when he examined Patterson's clothing there were two bullet holes in the back of the coat. He said he found in Patterson's hand a newspaper clipping telling of Patterson's $25,000 alienation suit in Chicago against Emil Strouss.

This was brought out to prove the state's contention that the woman shot her husband because of his suit against Strouss.

Prisoner Is Peeved.

Denver, Col., Nov. 23.—"It seems to me I'll choke if I can't speak out and if this enforced silence continues much longer. And yet from all accounts the public is holding my silence and composure against me."

Mrs. Gertrude Gibson Patterson, now facing trial on the charge of murdering her husband, today thus expressed her desire to take the witness stand in her own defense.

"I am thirsting for fresh air and a chance to begin all over again," she said. "I am inexpressibly anxious for every bit of evidence to be put before the jurors so that I may know at the earliest moment whether they are going to give me my life, or bring in a verdict that will require me to pay the highest penalty under the law. No one knows what it costs me to retain my composure when I hear witnesses making false statements that may be taking me inch by inch towards the verdict for which the attorney for the state has asked. I want to stand right up and tell them that what they say is untrue, but it seems I have no other role to play than that of silence, and because I sit there and keep all that I feel to myself—there is something in the air that tells me that very silence is charged against me."

SLAYER OF HUSBAND DISPLAYS EMOTION

Sight of Revolver Is Too Much for Mrs. Patterson.

Denver, Nov. 23. — Mrs. Gertrude Patterson was greatly disturbed over the clicking of the revolver with which she killed her husband. Her usual immobility was perceptibly shaken when George Strain's revolver was brought into court and, in the presence of the jury, broken and emptied of its cartridges. Mrs. Patterson nervously lifted a roll of papers from the counsel table and for a full two minutes buried her face in their contents, passing over them eagerly, one at a time, until "Exhibit A" had been duly marked by the court stenographer and removed from her direct line of vision. Then the papers were dropped, her old expression of stoical indifference returned.

It was announced that the state would produce a witness who will tell of seeing Patterson on his knees and the woman bending over him with the smoking revolver at his back. At this the eyes of the spectators turned toward Mrs. Patterson. She looked as if she had not heard that simple recital of the death struggle of the man who she had killed.

Pay Death Penalty.

Santo Domingo City, Nov. 23. Stern and drastic measures have been taken by the authorities here to punish those involved in the assassination of President Caceres. Leonte Tejera was executed as a principal in the crime and General Pientel put to death as an accessory.

A pinch of salt will make the white of an egg beat quicker.

ENGLAND'S FOREIGN SECRETARY TO ISSUE STATEMENT WHICH MAY CAUSE SENSATION



SIR EDWARD GREY
FROM THE SKETCH.

A statement concerning British foreign policy and which is expected to cause a sensation will be made before the House of Commons on November 27 by Sir Edward Grey, the Foreign Secretary. The statement will contain details of England's hand in the Moroccan imbroglio and will probably say that England was within a hair's breadth of going to war against Germany to support France in the Moroccan trouble.

BIG ONES CONNECTED WITH GAMBLING RING

Further Sensations Promised in Chicago's "Clean-Up."

Chicago, Nov. 23.—Impending suspension of three high police officials, under charges of winking at vice; trial of three others on the same charges; death threats to Harry Brolaski, reformed gambler, who "squealed" on organized vice, and the civil service commission promising another wholesale police shake-up—these were the developments up to today of Chicago's cleaning up.

Ben Hyman, ex-king of the gamblers, declared to the commission that Alderman "Hinky Dink" Kenna; former State Representative "Manny" Abrams, City Oil Inspector James A. Quinn, Acting Superintendent of Streets Frank W. Solon, and Alderman H. J. Banler were all connected with the gambling ring here. Kenna and Abrams gained national fame when United States Senator Lorimer related his friendship for them in his speech of defense in the senate last spring.

The present inquiry into vice conditions began early in September. So far, one lieutenant and one patrolman have been discharged, one captain has resigned and charges are now pending against two inspectors, two captains and four lieutenants.

ODD BITS

New York—Because he was arrested falsely and measured and pictured for the rogues' gallery, Paul Hawkins sued Police Captain Kuhne and was awarded $1,788 damages.

New York—Prince Nicholas Gilka almost sailed away without his sky blue silk pajamas, bearing the Roumanian coat of arms, but a Waldorf detective delivered them in a taxocab at the Mauretania pier.

Butler, Pennsylvania—How the loser at "Jacks" removed a garment at the end of each game, is being revealed in the S. A. Wright divorce suit. Steam heat prevented the players from taking cold.

New York—Mrs. Sarah Rocketelli says she kept a time card registering the visits of her husband, Melvin, O., at the home of Mrs. Anna Downes, whom she is suing for $50,000 for alienation.

London—In deference to a "request" from the lord chamberlain, the bathing girl in "Kismet" has put on a few more clothes.

New York—A $10 bill lost on Broadway, October 11 and found by a man from Berlin and turned over to the police, has been returned to its rightful owner after more than 1,000 claimed it.

New York—James Heenan who, in fifty years, with the American Exchange National bank, carried more money through Wall street than any living man, was given a gold watch on his eighty-first birthday.

Montclair, New Jersey—Nip, a bulldog sixteen inches long, became so hungry he swallowed a twelve-inch hatpin. A doctor removed the pin, stopping a mad dog scare.

San Francisco—Because she now can vote, Judge Weller fined Mrs. Hamilton, daughter of John D. Spreckels, $10 for speeding.

Boston—"Harvard stadium is a monument to perverted education," said Moorfield Storey at a dinner party, "and I hope it rains Saturday."

The latest addition to the boarding house menu is the aeroplan chicken—mostly wings and flame.

Mice object to camphor, which if put in places frequented by them will drive them away completely.

SWEEPS AFFIDAVIT INTO WASTE BASKET

Police Chief Kohler, of Cleveland, Gets Better of Preachers.

Cleveland, O., Nov. 23.—Acting as peacemaker for the Baptist brotherhood committee, which is attempting to put on the lid in Cleveland, Rev. Dr. W. W. Bustard, pastor of John D. Rockefeller's church, had a hot hour's interview with Chief Kohler when the minister and several of the vice committee called to see about enforcing the saloon laws.

When Dr. Bustard presented a bundle of affidavits to Chief Kohler showing that saloons were open last Sunday, Kohler brushed them into the waste-paper basket. The minister fished them out and finally sent them to the police prosecutor. Kohler outlined his golden rule policy and compared laws to drugs to be kept on shelves and used when needed.

Dr. Bustard objected and said all laws should be enforced. "I won't arrest a lot of innocent men just to satisfy the law," said the chief. "I'm for the poor man. The rich man has plenty of protection."

"You're wrong there," said Dr. Bustard. "Rich and poor should be given the same protection."

"I guess you're just looking for a little advertising, Doc," was Kohler's reply, and the committee retired.

IDA VON CLAUSSEN IS ILL IN ASYLUM

Woman Who Sues Roosevelt Tries To Make Escape.

New York, Nov. 23.—Mrs. Ida Von Claussen, the woman who instituted suit for $1,000,000 against President Theodore Roosevelt, is ill at the Bloomingdale asylum, as a result of an attempt to escape by jumped from the second-story window. She suffered a sprained ankle, and other injuries. Her attempt to escape became known today, when her attorneys asked a postponement of the hearing before a commission appointed to inquire into her sanity.

Mrs. Von Claussen was committed to Bloomingdale for sending a threatening telegram to a supreme court justice before whom her divorce suit was set for trial.

MURDER TRIAL IN DENVER.



GERTRUDE GIBSON PATTERSON.

The trial of beautiful Gertrude Gibson Patterson, accused of the murder of her husband, is now in progress in Denver, Col. Mrs. Patterson will plead self-defence, alleging that her husband attempted to take her life. That the quarrel was over a suit for alienation of Mrs. Patterson's affections, which the young husband, it is said, contemplated bringing against a wealthy man from Chicago and that the killing resulted from Patterson's refusal to drop the affair, will be the contention of the State.

2,000 MANCHUS SLAUGHTERED

Massacre of Foreigners Reported in Shen-Si.

HANKOW BATTLEFIELD STREWN WITH CORPSES

Outbreaks Now Foreshadow a Sure Intervention.

Premier Yuan Shi Kai Will Not Oppose Intervention If Assured That It Will Save the Throne—German Gunboat Rescues 180 Foreigners on Upper Yangtse—French Missionary Reported Slain.

Peking, Nov. 23.—The massacre of foreigners is still going on in Shen-Si province, according to information received here today. In the same province more than 2,000 Manchus have been slaughtered. It is also reported that foreigners are being murdered in Yunnan. Five thousand corpses strew the battlefield at Hankow as a result of two days fighting. The anti-foreign agitation is assuming a most dangerous character.

The development of anti-foreign outbreaks is taken by every one here as foreshadowing almost immediate intervention by the powers. It is said the only reason there has been no intervention already is because the powers themselves can not agree upon a plan.

Premier Yuan Shi Kai, it is believed, would not oppose intervention if assured that it would save the throne. He is constantly conferring with the ministers and ambassadors here.

Foreigners Rescued.

Shanghai, Nov. 23. — Wireless messages from up-river say the German gunboat, Otter, has rescued 180 foreigners on the upper Yangtse, who were trying to make their way to the coast. The country through which the fugitives were passing, was becoming more and more hostile and, but for the Otter, it is considered doubtful if they would ever have reached safety.

Situation Discussed.

Washington, Nov. 23.—Following the receipt today of despatches regarding the massacre of foreigners in China, Secretary of State Knox held a conference with President Taft on the Chinese situation, at which the question of sending troops from Manila was discussed.

Furious Fighting.

Shanghai, Nov. 23.—Furious fighting is in progress today at Hankow, according to messages just received here. The firing is reported more deadly than at any time since hostilities began.

Frenchman Murdered.

Tien Tsin, Nov. 23.—Confirmation has been received here of the murder by natives of Dr. Legendre and other French missionaries at Ning-Yuan-Fu.

FOOD TRUST NEXT IN LINE FOR PROBE

Uncle Sam's Agents Gather Evidence in Windy City.

Chicago, Nov. 23.—A "food trust" may be the next octopus to be investigated by Uncle Sam, if evidence which agents for the government are alleged to have uncovered in connection with their investigation of the operations of the Chicago butter and egg board, can be shown to indicate a conspiracy in restraint of trade.

It is said that the investigators have evidence of concerted action on the part of a number of individuals in the packing house industry to buy such commodities as butter and eggs and poultry at a time when the market is low, and by storing in cold storing, remove so much of the product from the market that the price was forced high. Then, it was said, the packers let their stored products on the market a little at a time, keeping the price exorbitantly high and reaping an enormous profit.

POLICE CHIEF SPRINGS SURPRISE ON PREACHER

Kohler Charges Church Members Rent Properties to Saloons.

Cleveland, Nov. 23.—Just whether members of the flock of Rev. W. W. Bustard, of the Euclid Avenue Baptist church, appreciate the situation is not known, but Rev. Bustard has called upon Chief of Police Kohler to furnish him names of any of his congregation who own property which is being rented for saloons or immoral purposes. Rev. Mr. Bustard is John D. Rockefeller's Cleveland pastor. He ran afoul of Chief Kohler yesterday in demanding to know why saloons here were not closed on Sunday, and also declared vice was being ignored.

Kohler replied by bringing the charge against Bustard's congregation and today the minister asked for the names.

Scavedo in Court.

Jim Scavedo, charged with malicious destruction of property was arraigned before the mayor this afternoon and entered a plea of not guilty to the charge against him. He was then held until the prosecuting witness could appear.

THE MARKETS.

CLEVELAND.

Cleveland, Nov. 23—Hogs—3,500; firm to 5c higher; mediums and heavies 6.45; lights 6.30@6.35; pigs 5.50@5.75.

Cattle—5 cars; firm.

Sheep and lambs—12 cars; 5.25 top.

Calves—200; 9 top.

UNION STOCK YARDS.

Union Stock Yards, Nov. 23—Hogs—Receipts, 28,000; market weak; mixed and butchers, 6@6.55; good heavy, 6.25@6.55; rough heavy, 6@6.25, light, 5.70@6.35, pigs 4.25@5.60.

Cattle—Receipts, 7,000; market, steady; beeves, 4.50@9; cows and heifers, 1.80@5.80; stockers and feeders, 2.30@5.65, Texans, 4@5.70; calves, 6.50@8.25.

Sheep—Receipts, 18,000; market, steady; native, 2.25@3.70; western, 2.40@3.70; lambs, native, 3.60@5.50; western, 3.50@5.50.

EAST BUFFALO.

East Buffalo, N. Y., Nov. 23—Cattle—Receipts, 125 head; market, slow, steady; prime steers, 7@7.55; butcher grades 3@6.75.

Calves—Receipts, 125 head; market, active, 50c higher; cull to choice, 6@9.50.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 8,000 head; market, lambs active, 10c higher, sheep steady; choice lambs, 5.50@5.65; cull to fair, 4.25@5; yearlings, 3.75@4; sheep, 1.50@3.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 6,800; market, slow; yorkers, 6.20@6.25, pigs, 5.80@5.90, mixed, 6.30@6.40; heavy, 6.40@6.50, roughs, 5.65@5.75; stags, 4.50@5.50.

ST. LOUIS WOOL.

St. Louis, Nov. 22—Wool steady; medium grades, combing and clothing 20½@21c; light fine 17@19c; heavy, 13@15c; tub washed 27@30c.

PITTSBURGH.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Nov. 23—Cattle—Receipts, light; market, steady; choice, 7.25@7.50; prime, 6@6.50; common, 4@5.20; veal calves, 8@8.50.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, fair; market, steady; prime wethers, 3.25@3.40; good mixed, 2.75@3.10; fair mixed, 2@2.50; spring lambs, 3@5.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 20 doubledecks; market, active, 10@15c higher; prime heavy hogs, 6.60@6.65; mediums, 6.35@6.40; heavy yorkers, 6.25@6.35; light yorkers, 5.85@6; pigs, 5.50@5.75; roughs, 5.50@5.75; stags, 4.50@5.

TOLEDO.

Toledo, O., Nov. 23—Wheat—Cash and December 97¾; March 1.02¾; July 96¾.

Corn—Cash 65½; December 65¾; May 66¼; July 66¾.

Oats—Cash 49¾; December 50⅜; May 52⅝; July 48¼.

Rye—Cash 97.

Cloverseed—Cash and December 12.62½; March 12.60; No. 2, 12.20; No. 3, 12.00; rejected 11.80.

Alsike—Prime 10.80; December .85; March 11.05.

Timothy—Prime 7.40; December 7.45; March 7.55.

Butter, eggs and hay—unchanged.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Nov. 23—Grain opening: Wheat—December down ¼; May down ⅛. Corn—December unchanged; May up ⅛. Oats—December up ⅛; May unchanged. Provisions lower.

Noon—Wheat—December up ¼; May down ⅛. Corn—December down ⅜; May down ¼. Oats—December down ⅜; May down ¼.

Close: Wheat-December down ⅛; May down ¼. Corn—December and May down ½. Oats—December down ⅜; May down ¼. Provisions lower.

The following quotations show the opening, high, low and closing markets in the order named of the various products:

Wheat—December, 95⅜, 95⅜, 94½, 95¼; May, 1.00¾, 1.01, 1.00⅛, 1.00½.

Corn—Dec. 64⅞, 64¾, 64¼, 64⅝; May, 65⅜, 65⅝, 64⅞, 64⅜.

Oats—December, 47¾, 47¾, 47⅛, 47⅜; May 50⅛, 50⅛, 49¾, 49⅞.

Pork—January, 16.37, 16.37, 16.25, 16.25; May, 16.80, 16.85, 16.72, 16.72.

Lard—January, 9.37, 9.37, 9.35, 9.35; May, 9.62, 9.62, 9.57, 9.57.

Ribs—January, 8.37, 8.37, 8.32, 8.32; May, 8.82, 8.85, 8.77, 8.77.

NEW YORK PRODUCE.

New York, Nov. 23—Flour—Inactive and unchanged.

Pork—Firm, mess 17.75@18.

Lard—Firmer, middle west spot, 9.35@9.45.

Tallow—Easy, city, 6⅝; country, 6⅛@6¾.

Hay—Firm, prime, 1.30; No. 3, 1.00@1.05; Clover, 1.00@1.22½.

Dresed poultry—Firm, turkeys, 10@23; chickens, 6@22; fowls, 6@16; ducks, 10@19.

Live poultry—Steady, geese, 13; ducks, 12@13; fowls, 10@11½; turkeys, 14@16; roosters, 7½; spring chickens, 10½@11½.

Butter—Firm, receipts, 5,666; creamery extra, 35; state dairy tubs, 28@33; imitation creamery firsts, 23@23½.

Eggs—Firm, receipts, 4,687; nearby white fancy, 50@55; nearby mixed fancy, 33@39; fresh firsts, 32@42.

CHICAGO DAIRY.

Chicago, Nov. 23—Butter—Extras, 33; firsts, 28½; dairy extras, 29; firsts, 26.

Eggs—Firsts, 28@30.

Cheese—Twins, 14½@14¾; Young Americas, 14¾@15.

Live poultry—Fowls, 8@9; ducks, 11½@12; geese, 10½@11; spring chickens, 8½@9; trkeys, 16½.

Federation Favors Arbitration.

Augusta, Ga., Nov. 23. The American Federation of Labor practically went on record in opposition to war and in favor of the settlement of international disputes by peaceful methods.

COMMISSION PROBING RA

Express Companies C with Extortion.

WEST VIRGINIAN TAKES THE S

Commissioner Lane in of Investigation.

Congressman Lewis, of V ginia, Declares United Sta Only Country Where "Tr tion Parasite" Is Perm Exist—Figures Submitte Probers Show Big Divide

New York, Nov. 23— Lane of the interstate commission began an exam the express business of th the inquiry being held at quest of 211 business orga which are known as press rates conference, a chief complaint is that exp are unreasonable.

Commissioner Lane said pose of the inquiry is mine whether the rates, practices of the express are such as should come regulation of the interstate commission."

Congressman a Wit

One of the witnesses, Co David J. Lewis of West Vi that the express company exist outside of the Un and is a "transportation He said rates in this count hibitively high, being 16 freight rate, whereas in countries the average exp is only five times the frei He thought the parcels po not practicable, as at th rate of 8 cents a pound per ton would be five time express companies ask. the government should o express service, and predi termination of the expres

Attorney Lyon submit which he said showed tha net operating income of t ing express companies fo three years was $10,000,00 an estimated valuation of He said the average rat ating income to the val property and equipment cent, and that in the c Great Northern Expres this ratio fo[illegible]

RECEPTION FOR THE NEW

Is Given at the Hall of Wednesday Even

The dollar social given monie, Aid and Christia societies of the Salem's church in the Druids' hal evening, was a decided financially and as an e Several hundred of the the church and their in attendance. It was als ure of a reception for th and his wife, Rev. and J. Keppel.

An interesting progr and music was render Kull gave an address, welcomed Mr. and Mrs. local church in behalf gregation. Rev. Mr. Ke ed with a few remarks rendered several selecti A. Albrecht gave an tation that was much e a song by Miss Elfree who was accompanied by Miss Edna Schweinfu was passed socially and were served.

ELECTION BOOS TO BE PRO

First Indictment Under tices Act Expe

Columbus, O., Nov. indictment in Ohio for the Kimble corrupt pr hauling voters to the returned against a scho ber of Lorain county. Prosecutor F. M. Steve asked Attorney Gener assist him in prosecuti

Stevens will ask the grand jury to indict though he had been warned not to carry v from the polls, kept hi election day. The m mediately placed on t

The Erie road is secure as much busi Chinese passengers as of the passenger offic asked to see that th are given every atte and that they are tre great number of Chin coast to coast, and i regarded as worthy o

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Mens reg. 75c palm mittens per pair	50c
Mens canvas gloves full sizes 3 pair for	25c
Mens canvas mittens per pair	10 and 15c
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OHIO TRACTOR COMPANY PLANS FOR MORE ROOM

Equipment To Be Moved in the Near Future.

BUILDING ON LEADER STREET WILL BE USED

A Number of Changes Contemplated by the Company — Additional Machinery Is To Be Installed in the New Quarters—Officials Are Looking to a Greater Capacity.

Arrangements have been made by the officials of the Ohio Tractor company for moving their equipment from the building located on west Center street to the building at the rear of the offices of the company and located on Leader street. For some time the equipment of the Long Wagon works has been located in that building and it will be moved so that the Tractor company will have the full use of the structure.

Several improvements are contemplated in the quarters in which the equipment is to be located and it is believed by the officials that the work will be carried on with a much greater degree of convenience than before. Some new machinery will be installed.

The change will be made at the earliest date possible and it is planned by the company to be located in the new quarters about the first of the year.

The building facing west Center street may be remodeled and used for store rooms but no definite plans have as yet been completed.

LUNA MOVING-PICTURE SHOW IS CLOSED UP

Constable Benjamin Bigford Takes Charge Thursday Evening.

On a writ of attachment issued by Justice Charles E Gompf on the claims of Harry Leffler and the United Electric company, both amounting to about $100, the Luna moving-picture theater on south Main street was closed Thursday evening by Constable Benjamin F Bigford. The claims are for labor and material used in some wiring done at the theater. An adjustment will probably be made as early as possible and the theater may be reopened.

C A Cavell of Tiffin, is the owner of the house.

AIR SHIPS MAY LAND IN CITY.

The four air planes enroute from the Abe Britton farm to North Pole, may land in city to undergo repairs, but more especialy to be equiped with the powerful Aladdin lamps, the rays of which may pierce the darkness for a hundred miles.

The Alladdin mantle lamp is not only the most powerful, but will burn fifty hours on one gallon of coal oil and at the cost of 1-5c per hour.

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A good number of the wonderful lamps will be on exhibition and for sale at 626 east Center street.

On account of the great demand for these lamps Mr L W Thomas, (sales manager) is advertising for at least 75 men and women to assist in handling and demonstrating them to the people. Address L W Thomas 626 east Center street Marion O. s-wkr-1-e

A good cleanser for hardwood is to wash it with a clean flannel wet in turpentine and rub lightly afterward with boiled linseed oil.

Sashes are of every variety and they hang at the back in front and at the side.

TWO NEGROES ENGAGE IN A BLOODY BATTLE

Thomas Phez Is Badly Cut by William Burnett.

ELEVEN-YEAR-OLD LAD IS THE ONLY WITNESS

Fellows Have Trouble in a Temperance Pool-Room on North Main Street—Proprietor of Place Is Under Arrest—Notes Gathered in Local Police Court.

The temperance pool-room, conducted by E Henry at No 224 north Main street, resembled a slaughter house, Friday evening. Shortly before 6 o clock, Acting Captain Thompson and Officer McColly were called to the place by the report that a fight had occurred and one of the participants was badly cut.

On investigation the officers learned that the trouble had been between Thomas Phez and William Burnett, both colored. In the battle, Burnett cut Phez four times with a knife. According to the story of Earl Henry, the eleven-year-old son of the proprietor of the place, he was the only person in the room aside from the participants when the trouble occurred. He was unable to stop the fight, being afraid to interfere. Phez bled profusely from the cuts he received, but both of the participants disappeared before the arrival of the officers.

Phez received a large gash across the top of his head, two across his forehead and a cut which severed his left eyelid. He went to the office of Dr J M Hoskins, where his wounds were dressed. As far as could be learned, Burnett was uninjured. He has not been seen since.

As a result of the fight and of frequent fights in the place, the officers ordered the youth to lock up the place. He complied with the order and a short time later the father of the boy called at police headquarters to learn the cause of the action. He was arrested for allowing his minor son to conduct the place. The law is now being looked up with a view to prosecuting Henry.

MRS. A. D. JANES IS CLAIMED BY DEATH

Former Marion Woman Dies in City of Chicago

Mrs Michael Moran has returned from Huntington, Indiana, where she attended the funeral Thursday of Mrs A D Janes a former resident of Marion, who died at her home in Chicago, Monday.

Mrs Janes was very well known in Marion having resided here about nine years ago. At that time she lived on Blaine avenue. Her husband was an engineer in the Erie yards for years. Mrs Janes was about thirty-seven years of age and her death was caused by a complication of diseases following an operation.

The deceased is survived by her husband, one daughter and four sons, her mother, Mrs Claybawn of Huntington, and one brother and two sisters.

MISS GRACE FIELDER AND CLYDE MAHAFFEY

Are Married at Their Home on South Vine Street.

Miss Grace Fielder and Mr Clyde C Mahaffey, were married, Thursday evening at 7 30 o clock, at their home, which had already been prepared by them on south Vine street. The ceremony was performed by Dr C R Havighurst, pastor of the Epworth M E church, only a few of the intimate friends of the contracting parties being present. Following the ceremony a supper was served at the home of the contracting parties.

Miss Fielder who formerly resided at Bellefontaine, has been engaged as a nurse at the Dr C E Sawyer sanatorium for the past six years and is very well known in the city. Mr Mahaffey is a son of Mr and Mrs Samuel Mahaffey, who reside west of the city. He is very well known, and has a large circle of friends in this city.

SOCIETY MEETS AT A COUNTRY HOME

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Saiter Host and Hostess.

The Missionary society of the Salem Evangelical church met at the home of Mr and Mrs H H Saiter, of Richland township, Thursday. During the meeting addresses were made by Rev and Mrs. John Hobson along missionary lines and church work in general. Mrs William Fairchild read an interesting and instructive paper on "Medical Missions." The attendance at the meeting was good.

Instead of the usual meeting in December there will be a union meeting of the Bethlehem, Canaan and Salem Missionary societies at the Canaan Evangelical church, December 5. This will be an all-day meeting. Dinner will be provided at the time by the Canaan society.

To remove stubborn rust spots from steel put oil and quicklime on and leave it on for several days. Then rub with oil and rotten stone.

CHARLES C. FISHER
Attorney-at-Law,
Bennett Building.

DAMAGE SUIT IN THE COMMON PLEAS COURT

Thomas Peeling Seeks To Recover Sum of $15,000.

CHILD INJURED ON THE BIG FOUR TRACKS

Plaintiff Alleges That Company Through Its Agents Is Wholly Responsible for the Accident—A Motion To Quash Indictments Is Argued Saturday—Court Notes.

Thomas Peeling, an infant aged fourteen years, through his next friend, Jane Peeling has begun a damage proceeding against the C, C C & St L Railway company to recover the sum of $15,000. The plaintiff recites in the petition that Thomas Peeling was caught between two cars on the tracks of the defendant company, March 16, 1910, and was so badly injured that he suffers of curvature of the spine and other disabilities of a permanent character. The plaintiff states that the accident was wholly due to the negligence of the company through its agents Mouser & Moloney representing the plaintiff.

The Marion Savings Bank company has begun a suit in the court of common pleas against Arthur Cook and others to recover the sum of $589 70 on a promissory note secured by a mortgage on Marion real estate.

A motion to quash the indictments returned by the last grand jury against Harry Armstrong charged with burglary, larceny and receiving stolen goods, was argued before Judge W E Scofield Saturday. The judge reserved his decision.

In the divorce proceeding of Henry E Sabback against Agnes Sabback, the defendant has filed a motion in the court of common pleas in which it is stated that the plaintiff has failed to pay alimony in the sum of sixty dollars as directed by the court, and it is requested that Sabback be cited to appear and show why he shall not be considered in contempt.

In the suit of P W Turner against Clifton Hofstetter the defendant has filed a demurrer in which he sets up that the plaintiff has no cause for action.

LARUE FRIENDS ARE GIVEN A SURPRISE

Mr. Austin F. Shira Weds in State of Minnesota

Many reader of the News will be pleased to learn of the marriage of Austin F Shira a son of Dr and Mrs William Shira of this village which was celebrated last Saturday at Winona, Minnesota. The bride is the daughter of Mr and Mrs Louis Kitzman, very prominent people of that city. The wedding service was performed at the country home of the bride's parents known as Moming Side, which is near the city limits of Winona. At that beautiful rural retreat the newly-wedded couple will reside until spring, and then move to Homer at which point they will occupy one of the beautiful government cottages. Homer is the location of the government fisheries station, where the groom has been employed as scientific director for more than a year past. Just recently he was promoted to a higher position, being made the head of a very important department at the station in which place he will receive an increase in salary, which will aggregate $1 400 per annum. Austin grew to young manhood's years in this village and is very popular with a great number of the people of the vicinity. The News is glad to tender its sincerest congratulations to Mr and Mrs Shira.—La Rue News

Contented or Uncontented Which?

Young men! Are you content with your present education? If called upon tomorrow to write a note, a check, a draft, a receipt or a simple contract, could you do it? Are you a good penman? Do you understand interest and discount, stocks and bonds and etc? What about our spelling and your English? Are you content with your present knowledge of these? If not it would pay you to enroll with The Marion Business College and take up a special 3 months winter course at special reduced rates. The term opens Dec 4th.

For further particulars write call or phone The Marion Business College, over KIRBY'S STORE. Phone L 1680. J T Barger Mgr. s-w-2-c

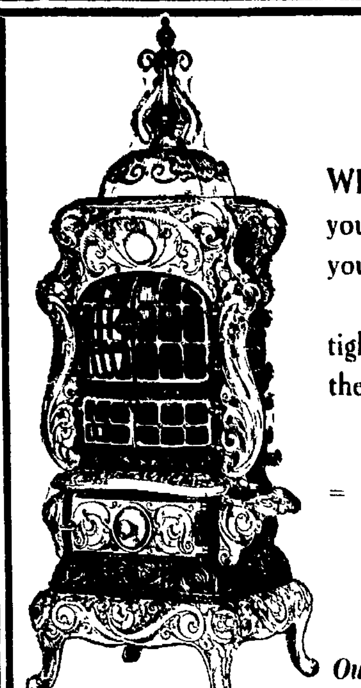
A Fire Near Gurley

A log house belonging to David Street, of Glad street located about three fourths of a mile south of Gurley station, caught fire shortly after noon Saturday and was burned to the ground. The house was occupied by Mr and Mrs Leonard Dall. Mrs Dall was at LaRue and Mr Dall had come to Marion at the time of the fire and the flames had gained much headway before they were discovered by the neighbors. The house furniture was completely destroyed. It is thought that the fire was caused by an overheated stove in one of the rooms. The fire had been kept burning to prevent some potatoes from freezing. No insurance was carried on the building.

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SCHOOL EXAMINATIONS

The School Examiners of Marion county, Ohio, will meet for the examination of teachers at the Central school building, Saturday,

DECEMBER 2

Examinations commence at 8 00 a. m and no application will be received after 10 a. m. All examinations will be written and positively no private examinations will be granted. A fee of 50 cents will be charged on admission to the examination and each applicant will furnish an envelope, stamped and addressed to him or herself in which a certificate or notice of failure will be forwarded. Applicants will be graded on a scale of 100. No certificate will be granted when the grade in any branch falls below 40. An average of 75 with a minimum of 70 secures a certificate for one year. 85 with a minimum of 80 and twelve months experience secures a certificate for two years. 90 with a minimum of 85 and twenty-four months experience secures a certificate for three years. 95 with a minimum of 90 and thirty-six months experience secures a certificate for 5 years. An average of 98 with a minimum of 95 and sixty months experience secures a certificate for 8 years.

Success in the school room will also be taken into consideration in determining the class of certificate.

H B Bell Pres
W P Moloney Vice Pres
J W Almendinger, clerk

LEGAL NOTICE

Lawrence Deo Fenner a minor, Hugh Clifford Fenner a minor and Edith Benjamin Fenner a minor and Eliza S Benner guardian of said minors all of whom reside at Georgetown, Vermillion county, Illinois will take notice that on the 6th day of October 1911 the undersigned Abbott A Lawrence filed his petition in the court of Common Pleas of Marion county Ohio as plaintiff in cause No 1 180 on the docket of said court against the defendants above named (and others) alleging therein that he is seized in fee simple of and has a legal right to one undivided sixth part of the real estate hereinafter described and that each of said minors is seized of one undivided eighteenth part of the same real estate as co-parceners with plaintiff and other defendants and demanding partition thereof and that on the 21st day of October 1911 he filed an amendment to said petition making corrections in the names of some defendant and in the description of one tract of land and alleging that the real estate described in said petition can be sold to the advantage if appraised and offered for sale in three or more tracts.

The object and prayer of said petition and amendment thereto are that partition may be made among the plaintiff and defendants of the following described real estate situated in the township of Claridon county of Marion and State of Ohio to wit: a tract of twenty acres off the north end of the west half of the northeast quarter of section thirty four township [illegible] south range sixteen east; also the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of the same section containing forty acres more or less; also the west half of the northwest quarter of the same section containing eighty acres more or less except the following described mill tract, namely: beginning at [illegible] chains [illegible] and [illegible] chains N [illegible] degrees [illegible] minutes [illegible] of a stone [illegible] at the northwest corner of said section [illegible] 31 [illegible] minutes [illegible] chains to a stone [illegible] minutes [illegible] chains to a stone; thence [illegible] to the place of beginning, containing [illegible] of an acre [illegible] right of way [illegible] the northwest quarter of said section [illegible] from the public road on the south side thereof for ingress to and egress from the mill tract above described granted to the parties to this suit and to [illegible] Benner Schuyler [illegible] Lawrence and [illegible] by deed recorded [illegible] ume 47 page 97 of the records of Deeds of Marion County Ohio except also a tract of one half acre out of the south east corner of said eighty acre lot owned by Susanna Lawrence to the Board of Education of Claridon Township the same being [illegible] 7 rods north and south and 7 rods east and west; that said real estate may be sold in three or more tracts and that he may have all proper relief. Each of said defendants is required to appear and answer said petition on or before December 23d 1911 or a decree will be taken by default.

Oct 2[illegible] 1911

ABBOTT A LAWRENCE
Charles C Fisher Attorney for the Plaintiff 28 4 wk 6

Sale of Bonds

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the County Auditor in Marion County Ohio until 12 o'clock noon December 4th 1911 for the purchase of 20 Bonds amounting to $[illegible] said Bonds to be known as the Davis Free Turnpike Road Bonds. All of said Bonds dated September 1st 1911 and to become due and payable as follows and in the following amount:

Bonds of $2,000 each due respectively March 1st 1912, September 1st 1912, March 1st 1913, September 1st 1913 and March 1st 1914.

[illegible] bonds of $2,500 each due respectively September 1st 1914, March 1st 1915, September 1st 1915, March 1st 1916 and September 1st 1916.

[illegible] Bonds of $3,000 each due respectively March 1st 1917, September 1st 1917, March 1st 1918, September 1st 1918 and March 1st 1919.

[illegible] Bonds of $3[illegible] each due respectively September 1st 1919, March 1st 1920, September 1st 1920, March 1st 1921 and September 1st 1921,

with interest on each of said bonds from September 1st 1911 at five per cent per annum payable semi-annually. Proper interest coupons are to be attached to each bond for the interest maturities.

Principal and interest payable at the office of the Treasurer of Marion County, Ohio. Said bonds are for the purpose of constructing the Davis Free Turnpike Road as ordered by the Board of County Commissioners of Marion County Ohio under authority of the General Laws of the State of Ohio particularly section 7[illegible] of the General Code of Ohio and pursuant to a resolution adopted by said Board of Road Commissioners.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check calling for the sum of $[illegible] on some bank in the City of Marion, Ohio said check to be made payable to the [illegible] of the Board of Road Commissioners. All checks of unsuccessful bidders shall be returned to them. The [illegible] of the successful bidder or bidders shall be retained and considered as part payment of the bond or bonds so awarded. Should the bidder or bidders refuse or neglect to [illegible] to the bonds sold them the deposit shall be forfeited to the [illegible] Free Turnpike Commission [illegible] and shall become the property of the Board as compensation for the loss and expense attending the sale of the bonds and as liquidated damages [illegible] the sale.

No bid will be received unless accompanied by a certified check as hereto[illegible]. No bid will be received for less than the par value of the bonds and accrued interest thereon, and the [illegible] reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Proposals are to be sealed and indorsed "Bids for Bonds" and addressed to the aforesaid Turnpike Commission care Marion Ohio, care of Jay Spaulding Auditor.

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C H COOK Treasurer
T L DAVIS Secretary
[illegible] wk

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A lot of good, church-going people turn up their noses at Mr. Taft's peace program as impossible despite the "Good Book's" clearly-outlined prophecy in the third verse of the fourth chapter of Micah.

It's easy to see, now, that this announced "retirement" on the part of Colonel Roosevelt was only one phase of a deep study in contrasts.

We assume that our agricultural friends will hold that the Texas farmers, who are holding a million bales of cotton for a raise, constitute what Colonel Roosevelt would denominate one of the good trusts.

"Gaby Deslys says she is "young, magnetic, clever and very beautiful." Gaby is almost as conscious of her own virtues as Aguinaldo La Follette.

Despite the fact that an Ohio boy was born eleven minutes after 11 o'clock on the 11th day of the 11th month of the year, 1911, he may live and grow up, and marry, and struggle along and raise a family and finally die without ever having made a home run in a championship series.

A Kalamazoo paper states that the boys in the normal school band in that city are to wear a uniform consisting of "a cap and a coat with a probable addition of trousers at a later date." That might do as a summer uniform, but till the weather moderates or the probable addition obtains the normal band boys will show respect for their physical well-being by doing their "practicing" indoors.

The way Senator Pomerene and those eight Democratic representatives expressed themselves on the question of a gerrymander might be taken to indicate that they had momentarily forgotten that the best way to demonstrate to the Ohio administration that they are patriots is to studiously refrain from any speech or action that might have a tendency to embarrass "Uncle Jud."

There are times when Senator Pomerene's remarks on the subject of Governor Harmon's presidential prospects leads us to the belief that the senator is a victim of the hasheesh habit.

Late returns from his own state of Missouri and Tennessee and Maryland may have a tendency to cause that prophet-humorist, Mr. Champ Clark, to "copper" his prediction of a Democratic landslide in 1912.

To an unprejudiced mind it doesn't appear seemly for Colonel Roosevelt to complain that "the judiciary annuls the work of the legislative branch of the federal government." There was a time, and not so long ago that it has been forgotten, when it was strongly intimated that it was the desire and purpose of the executive branch of the government to overrule and annul both the other two.

If the unexpected should happen and "Uncle Jud" be nominated and elected president, it is to be hoped that he will not purify the public service throughout the land as he has here in Ohio. There's no reason why the rest of the land should suffer with Buckeyedom.

Venison is something of a luxury. A news item is to the effect that 100,000 deer hunters' licenses have been taken out in Wisconsin this year. Each license costs $25, thus giving Wisconsin $2,500,000 from its deer industry. A well-known sportsman figures that the traveling and camping expenses of the hunters will average $75, which means the enormous sum of $7,500,000. He figures that the hunters will average fifty cartridges at three cents each or 1150,000 more. Thus the hunters will pay out $10,150,000 for the deer they shoot. Statistics show that about 6,000 deer, weighing, on the average 1,000 pounds, are killed annually. Hence we have an outlay of 10,150,000 for 600,000 pounds of venison, or $16.91 a pound. Please ring us some calf's liver.

Colonel Roosevelt has a lot to say bout that Tennessee Coal and Iron ncident for one that is absolutely ure that he did precisely what was ght and proper in the case.

If the distinguished strenuous itizen of Oyster Bay ever comes upon champ Clark's claim that the way to unish the men higher up in lawefying trusts is to send them to the nitentiary, there's bound to be another election to membership in the anias club.

Mr. Taft put the thing in a nutshell when he said that the trusts new when they were stifling competition and breaking the law. Mr. aft is too well acquainted with the gal game to believe that the trusts ave lawyers of the highest ability nough that the latter may play ping-ong.

No doubt a certain eminent gentleman of New Jersey argues to himself that if Princeton college can cut such a swath on the football field, there's no reason why the former head of that college wouldn't prove some pumpkins in the presidential.

While Nick Longworth has not yet declared himself publicly, it is probable that Father-in-Law Roosevelt will have his support in 1912.

No doubt Mr. La Follette appears just as good a figurehead to the big interests as any other they could select to defeat the nomination of Mr. Taft.

At the Roosevelt banquet at Youngstown Monday night, Judge Wannamaker, who, as an insurgent, is a regular "Bosco" and "eats 'em alive," made the rafters ring with this outburst:

"Think of a great national administration in this, the twentieth century, gathering to its arms and having as its chief defender the Knoxes, Wickershams, Wilsons, Ballingers, Lorimers and McCabes, who were simply the stool pigeons of the special interests."

Now, honestly, isn't that funny, when you realize that those condemned "interests" are now making Wall street clamorous with glad acclaim of Colonel Roosevelt and his latest deliverance, which Mr. Garfield, sitting at the same banquet and fresh from the Outlook sanctum, declared was "considered very timely in the East?" An then, think for a moment and recall that Knox, Wilson, Ballinger and McCabe were all heritages from the Roosevelt administration, while Wickersham is the man most hated by the "interests" and Taft has had no relations with the Lorimer matter and no responsibility in connection with it.

When this talk of Roosevelt as a compromise reaches Oyster Bay, the people down that way may look for a striking display of verbal pyrotechnics.

And so it was John J. Sullivan who was chosen to be the official sponsor of the Roosevelt boom in Ohio? We have an inconvenient memory which reminds us that it was Sullivan who nominated Mark Hanna for the senate at the joint session of the general assembly, in a speech in which that sturdy apostle of the practical was fairly exalted in equal fellowship with the saints. At that time John was himself the very prince of reactionaries, and as such found his reward in appointment as district attorney for the Northern district of Ohio.

Dr. Wiley wants physicians' prescriptions written in English instead of Latin—hog and otherwise. It would never do. The next time the patient had a pain he would like himself to the drug store for "a little of the same" instead of consulting the oracle. Besides, whisky is a beverage while spirits frumenti is a medicine. The only result of the Wiley innovation would be that the doctors would cease giving prescriptions and put up their own medicines, thereby conserving their secrets and preserving the mysteries, which are a large part of the value of every medicine. Moreover, it would never do to send a patient, with nothing ailing, away from the office, minus a plunk, for a prescription of sacrum lac or a saline solution.

Senator La Follette appears to have been very much in the situation of the fellow who holds the crowd till the speaker of the evening arrives.

It would hardly do to embarrass "Uncle Jud" by asking him if that Democratic legislature was among the blessings for which thankfulness should be voiced.

John Wanamaker wants the government run by business men. Let's see! How did the postoffice department fare under a well-known business man?

It begins to look as though Colonel Roosevelt were using Mr. La Follette for the sole purpose of pulling the chestnut out of the fire.

We assume, of course, that each and every Socialist elected to office will divide his salary equally among his fellow Socialists of the territory he represents in office.

Sixty-eight years old and a great-grandmother, Sarah Bernhardt is to marry a member of her company aged twenty-six. Sarah must have laid away more from these American farewell visits than has been imagined.

"Aunt Hetty" Green says she feels as though she could do a skirt dance in the moonlight. Don't do it, "Aunt Hetty." Somebody might mistake you for a member of the Newport set.

We can find nothing in the national platform prepared by the Republican Progressives in Ohio to which Mr. Taft and all other Ohio Republicans can not subscribe, excepting a reference to the "Pinchot-Roosevelt policy of conservation," which has no fixed meaning, Mr. Pinchot himself having changed front on the details of his "policy" many times

A Cleveland paper tells us that Jimmy Garfield is to ride the Roosevelt wave, which will bury Mr. Burton in the political quicksands, into the federal senate, while Mr. Sullivan is to have the Republican nomination for governor. Great Scott! What do they mean by overlooking Judge Wanamaker? For what do they suppose he has been insurging and progressing and progressing and insurging all this time?

The Maryland man who eloped, by mistake, with the twin sister of his affianced, says he is happier than he ever imagined mortal man could be. Still, young men should not be misled by the present case. There are mighty few girls who are willing to elope who have a twin sister afflicted the same way hanging around loose.

Having projected himself into the campaign of 1912, how is Colonel Roosevelt going to get time to take that whale hunt?

Princess Barcloff holds that Cincinnati people do not appreciate art because they eat sausages and did not like her singing. We know a number of communities where the inhabitants eat sausages and might not like our singing, but we frankly confess that we wouldn't hold them lacking in appreciation of art on either count of the indictment.

"We hardly think we shall ever have money enough," remarks the Ohio State Journal man, "to want our initials done in silver on the bowl of our pipe." Can it be that we have misjudged the O. S. J. man: can it be that he has a streak of modesty after all?

Mrs. C. A. Monnette and Mrs. J. Walter Macken are entertaining the St. Mary's Sewing circle at the Monnette home on east Church street, this afternoon.

The London suffragettes act as though they considered ability at window-smashing an evidence of their qualification to exercise the right of suffrage. It is evident that some of the women folk are no more prepared for suffrage than some of the men who enjoy it.

The philanthropists have yet a week in which to look about for those who have the Thanksgiving appetite and not the price.

THE PARAGRAPHERS.

The Roosevelt Plan.

Mr. Roosevelt's argument is that those who have sworn to enforce the laws should not enforce them.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Thing is Simplified.

In some of the Ohio towns which went wet recently men are engaged in the work of counting the drunks on the street. It ought to be easier to tell when a man is full than it was to guess the contents of a suitcase.—Toledo Blade.

The Colonel's Recipe.

To avoid annoyance, eschew antemortem legatees. For detailed information, query T. R., Oyster Bay, N. Y.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Will Still Exist.

Notwithstanding Mr. Carnegie's efforts, the School of Adversity will continue to have a large attendance. —Chicago Record-Herald.

A Hard Job.

We can't work up enough faith in Socialism to believe that it would safeguard us against having boiled cabbage for dinner about as often as usual.—Ohio State Journal.

Beyond Her Understanding.

What a woman can never understand is how her husband can remember the name of the president of the United States and yet not what date her sister's third child was born on.—New York Press.

THE REAL THING.

Editor Marion Star:—The editorial in the Star of November 16, "The Commanding Figure in Democratic Party," is the political gospel truth. If a protective tariff is a burden to the wage-earners of this country, why not follow Bryan, one of the original champions of a low tariff, instead of the present-day "progressive," who is only a base imitation of the genuine article?

Out on the sand lots of San Francisco, in the early eighties, Dennis Kearney gathered his followers, night after night, and denounced the "bloated bondholders," the "Wall street robbers" and the "barons of aristocracy," and admonished his hearers to "throw off the burden of a protective tariff system which makes the rich man richer, and the poor man poorer."

In outlining his scheme for what is now known as initiative and referendum, Dennis Kearney had Woodrow Wilson "skinned a block," twenty-seven years ago. As an expounder upon the evils of "corporate wealth," Dennis had Colonel Roosevelt "faded to a shadow" fourteen years prior to the Spanish-American war. But Dennis was too much of a disturbing element, and some went so far as to call him an anarchist. He was too far in advance of the times. He should have kept his oratory in cold storage until A. D., 1911, and received recognition as a "progressive."

Voter.

Richwood, O., Nov. 18.

AFTER THE REVOLUTION.

The powers have been most amazingly well informed about conditions in China. They have known for a long time what was coming and have had a fairly clear understanding as to how far the revolution might go. All this explains why there has been no haste in landing troops, no bungling, betrayal of eagerness, no zealous promptness which might disclose the delight of getting a military foothold in the country.

The revolution is going to go on. Possibly the uprising, as it is at present, will prove but a skirmish compared with the wild days when the walls of the Forbidden City are stormed and the heads of Manchu royalists are borne at the van of Peking mobs. Yet, even before that day, the history of the empire is likely to pass into a new phase. The new rulers will have a bigger difficulty to deal with than keeping their followers in hand. It will be the problem of getting rid of the Russian, the Japanese, the English and the German soldiers and sailors who have been landed ostensibly to protect foreigners and their property but with the real purpose of getting themselves so firmly planted that not all of Sun Yuan Ten's horses and all of Sun Yuan Ten's men can get them out again. European statesmen, merchants and industrial exploiters have been licking their chops for years over the prospects of the partition of China. The prospects are very near to realization.—Toledo Blade.

FOOD OF THE FUTURE.

The air is made up of oxygen and nitrogen with other elements in small and varying quantity. Pure water is oxygen and hydrogen. The principal element in the solid part of plant life is carbon. Here, with the sodium and chlorine in salt which is everywhere and not to be avoided, are the elements which go to make up the food of man. In the rocks, the soil underfoot, the material which is cast away as waste, are also these same elements in combination with elements not wholly necessary to the existence of life, but capable of separation.

This is one of the most fascinating speculations of science—will it ever be that all these raw materials so common and so exhaustless can be made direct into food, without the aid and intervention of the principle we call life? Little successes here and there, the gathering of a small pebble or two of knowledge, have indicated its possibility if not its probability. The thought of feeding the world upon artificial food isn't pleasant. Yet with the crowding of the earth's surface, the approach of a period when room is cramped, the increase of a consuming population, and the dwindling of a producing population, may compel a serious attempt to find the short-cut to the manufacture of human food.—Toledo Blade.

INTERESTING BITS.

Camels are the only animals that cannot swim.

A kangaroo has been known to leap seventy feet.

The thumb is stronger than all the fingers put together.

Italian soldiers are allowed cigars as part of their daily rations.

More than sixty-six per cent. of our farms are reported "owned free of debt."

There are 19,576,076 acres of improved land in Texas. Approximately half of this is devoted to raising cotton.

Before a diamond has been dressed it passes through the hands of cleaver, turner, cutter, sawyer and polisher.

The investigation of cold storage abuses started in England is likely to include all the egg producing countries of Europe.

Though Saxony has been a center of civilization for long ages, one-fourth of the area of the kingdom is still covered with forests.

China is forming the American chewing gum habit. A Hongkong firm last year sold $5,000 worth of the American manufactured article.

The United States Geological Survey reports that in 1910, Texas produced 380,322 fine ounces of silver, valued at $205,374, against 374,441 ounces in 1909, valued at $194,711.

Experiments with a process for obtaining a textile fiber, with merits between those of cotton and linen, from the nettle are being fostered by the Australian government.

Recently the Turkish ministry of public works advertised for bids on concessions for electric tramways and electric light plants in Adrianople, Adana, Aleppo and Jerusalem.

Lace was known in Venice at an early period. It was not unknown to the Greeks and Romans. To protect the native article its importation into England was prohibited in 1483.

Denmark supplies nearly all of the rennet imported by American cheese makers. Germany contributes to the extent of $10,000, and there are small shipments from France and Sweden.

Construing and Enforcing.

The point that Colonel Roosevelt makes against the administration's method of treating the trusts is that we should not attempt to regulate business by lawsuits. His idea is to pass regulating laws, so plain in purpose and phraseology, that it will not require a court to explain or apply them. Everybody will agree to that proposition. But there is the trouble—the Anglo-Saxon has not yet been able to state a proposition so clearly as to rule out the side of self-interest.

The Sherman law was first written by John Sherman, but is was so vague in phrase and purpose that Senator Edmunds took it off of his hands and wrote out a new bill, that is as plain as daylight and that anybody could understand who wanted to obey it. Mr. Edmunds was a master of expression. He knew what to say and how to say it, and it was largely for this reason that he was selected to frame this important legislation. Now look at it—"Scrambled eggs," with the great problem attached—how to "unscramble" them.

It might be regarded as a reasonable refuge for popular government to leave the courts out altogether, and let the executive construe as well as enforce the law. We would certainly get along no slower than we do now.—Ohio State Journal.

THE SNARLERS.

As there are men and women who enjoy funerals, finding absorbing interest in scenes and accounts of sorrow, so there are men and women to whom the world is only a slimy pool, wriggling with hateful things. They see always through a glass, darkly.

"I remember,"—you hear one of the say—"when he hadn't more than the clothes upon his back. His father was an old crook who drank like a fish and beat my father out of a bill for $7.40."

Their memories are packed with the fetid chronicle of scandal. To them come evil report and good report, and good report is cast away as a waste product. Their choice of condiment is vinegar. They pass through life and see and feel none of its sweetness and joy, nothing of its high hopes, its love and heroism, are moved by none of its victories against sin and pain. Wise they are as serpents, but not harmless as doves.

There is supposed to be a use for all things. One may imagine Mother Charity scratching at her head when the case of these alum-visaged folk are put up to her. She ventures perhaps to say that a beneficient service is discharged in that the never failing fount of corrosive speech repulses us and drives us to the other extreme—keeps us loyal to friend, makes us defensive of neighbor, reminds us of the mischief of gossip. By ceaseless ill will the obligation of good will toward men is made more clear.—Toledo Blade.

AGOSTA EPWORTH LEAGUE GATHERING

Some Matters of Business Are Given Attention.

Agosta, O., Nov. 23.—[Special.]—The usual monthly business meeting of the Epworth league was held Tuesday morning at the George Montgomery home three miles north of town. There was a large attendance.

Mrs. Amanda Cooper left Tuesday for an extended visit with relatives in Marion.

Miss Hazel Schuster, of near La Rue was the guest of Miss Rosa Scherger, of south of town from Friday till Monday.

Oscar Smith returned to Cleveland Sunday after spending a few days here.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Fisher and son, Sherman, of near Meeker were guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Dutton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherm Dutton and Mrs. P. Trumbo of south of town, were Marion callers Saturday.

Mrs. Search Williams spent a few days last week with her sister, Emma Orr, of Marion.

Mrs. Clemintin Blue is the gu Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Drake, of of town.

Mrs. Hattie Hardman has ret to her home at Prospect after ing three weeks with Mrs. C Stockwell.

Mrs. M. J. Redding and Mrs. Jones were Marion callers Thur

Miss Opal Corey of north of was a week-end guest of her Mrs. Joy Landgrade, of LaRu

Mrs. Jesse Beckley of sout town spend last week with her near Morral.

D. Carey left Monday for No Virginia, where he will spend days.

Mr. and Mrs. Noah Mulligan Marion callers Saturday.

Mrs. Jacob Barnthouse of Sandusky returned home Friday visiting a few days with Mr. and C. O. Barnthouse.

E. D. Horton and G. C. Young La Rue callers Tuesday.

Mrs. Ida Glissippi was a visitor Monday

Mrs. Mary Maass and dau Katherine, of Marion visited tives here Sunday and Monda

Grangers Pick Spokane.

Columbus, O., Nov. 23.—Spo Wash., was chosen as the next ing place of the National G The choice came as a peace of to Master C. B. Kegley of that who headed insurgents in the in a losing fight. Bids for the meeting were made by the m of New York, Nebraska, Idaho California.

Liquor Licenses.

Liquor licenses have been to George Henry, of Caledonia George Minard, of this city.

Every time an old bachelor a young widow he gets stage f

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There never was a doubt of our better blanket stocks—and there's every kind or quality you could want. The regular prices now read like this:

69c buys 80c Cotton Blankets—heavy and good size—tan, gray and white, with pretty borders.

89c pair for $1.00 Cotton Blankets—tan gray and white, and plain white.

$1.69 buys $2.50 WOOL-NAP Blankets—silk bound—gray., tan and white.

$1.00 pair for $1.39 Cotton Blankets—heavy weight, large size—a matchless value.

$1.59 buys best $2.00 Blankets—silk bound—gray, tan and white.

$4.39 buys $6.00 all pure wool Blankets—in beautiful plaids—11-4 size.

Best Winter Underwear

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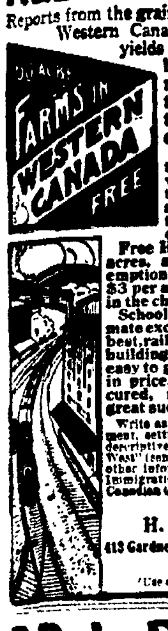
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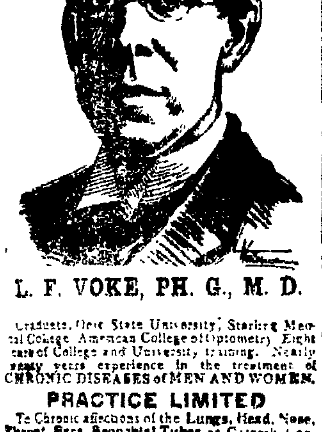
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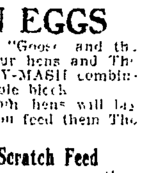
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Class of Confirmants Numbers 250 and Includes Fifteen Adult Converts—Father Joseph Denning Is Assisted by a Number of Visiting Priests—A Beautiful Service.

St. Mary's Catholic church was filled to its capacity, Thursday evening, when a class of 250, including about fifteen adult converts, was confirmed. The church was beautifully decorated with cut flowers and potted plants and the music furnished by the young men's choir was of a special nature appropriate to the occasion.

The class was the largest ever confirmed in the beautiful church and the services were very impressive. Rev. Father Joseph Dennig was assisted by Archbishop Henry Moeller, of Cincinnati; Rev. Father C. Brasbler, of Bucyrus; Rev. Father Jacob Kuebler, of Shelby; Rev. Father Schriner, of Galion; Rev. Father C. C. Beckmeyer, of Kenton; Rev. Father James Ryan, of LaRue; Rev. Father J. A. Riverman, of Sidney; Rev. Father James Falls, of Cincinnati, and Rev. Father J. Mizer, of Carey.

The address to the confirmants was delivered by Archbishop Henry Moeller, and was in a way a charge to the confirmants. He spoke of their early life and what they had done relative to the church and its work, and impressed upon them that after having received the rites of confirmation their duties would be twice as great. He spoke of the manner in which they would have to enter as church members and live true Christian lives, and of their duties as Christians to their fellowmen.

Those confirmed are as follows:

Catherine Rebecca Agnes Faulkner, Alice Margaret Macken, Martha Arwilda Rowe, Agnes Marie Ritzert, Mary Patrecia Veronica Faulkner, Florence Nora McLaughlin, Catherine Louise Murphy, Helen Margaret Josephine Lutz, Mary Lucile Valeita McGrath, Mary Catherine Dunn, Mary Alice Fye, Sarah Catherine Agnes ... in, Margaret Cecila Harlowe, Mary Pauline Elizabeth O'Keefe, Elizabeth Helen Schroeter, Agnes Marie Fidelos Lawrence, Mary Josephine McGinley, Mary Alice Lucile Rhoads, Mary Catherine Elizabeth Naylor, Kathryn Lucile Conlan, Elanora Irene Louise McGinley, Catherine Mary Elizabeth Moran, Anna Florence Orians, Helen Cecelia Ruth Thielsen, Anna Catherine Mary Lawler, Margaret Teresa Josephine Moran, Margaret Louise Woodcock, Mary Catherine Rose Snyder, Mary Clare Dwyer, Mary Bernardine Ochs, Catherine Elizabeth Fye, Mary Margaret O'Donnell, Regina Marie Lawler, Irene Cecilia Rolier, Mildred Lutz, Marie Nulk, Clara Zink, Helen McAndrew, Anita Mary Abe Josephine, Margaret Marie Matthews, Mary Catherine Ryan, Mary Elizabeth Von Kaenel, Beatrice Marie Murphy, Mary Rose Marguerite Lardner, Margaret Teresa Olive Bingham, Catherine Julia Barretta Lucas, Elizabeth Margaret Curran, Margaret Mary Elizabeth Masterson, Catherine Cecilia Mahaffey, Mary Elizabeth Condron, Alice Isabella Rafferty, Anna Monica Welchold, Dorothea Josephine McFarland, Catherine Mary Elizabeth Moran, Rose Maria Elizabeth Andees, Mary Catherine Burke, Marguerite Mary Knight, Mary Virginia Elizabeth Breen, Dona Marie Cecilia Kraus, Elizabeth Josephine Matthews, Mary Ellen Cecilia Orians, Alice Anna Ritzert, Margaret Josephine Hoover, Margaret Hornora Elizabeth Lardner, Helen Gertrude Elizabeth Orians, Margaret Constance St. Germain, Mary Gwendoline Burke, Mary Virginia Breen, Mary Josephine Elizabeth Schroeter, Agnes Cecelia Schuler, Julia Marie Agnes Boler, Mary Virginia Helen Cusick, Ruth Ann Madeline Snyder, Mary Louise Elizabeth Stark, Mary Anna Elizabeth Conarty, Irene Marguerite Elizabeth Schuler, Irene Cecelia Kirchner, Clare Felicita Carmelita Dwyer, Mary Louise Margaret Burke, Marie Cecilia Geraldine Voll, Clara Marie Griffin, Leona Emma Treasa Fabian, Alice Ruth Cecilia Cramer, Nellie Lauria Paulina Witter, Margaret Elizabeth Mary Snyder, Sarah Blanche Josephine Baer, Mildred Florence Miller, Catherine Agnes Norris, Josephine Elizabeth Woodcock, Mary Cecilia Hoover, Madeline Regina Stuber and Cecilia Veronica Plunkett.

Emerson John Hagan, John Joseph Ryan, Norbert Michael Moran, Francis Edward Navin, Bernard Edward Cusic, Lawrence Thomas Bernard Gillispie, Michael Emerson John Hagan, Clarence John Kruskamp, Cyril Francis Joseph Andees, John Henry Brittian, Paul George Nardini, Anthony Leo Joseph McAndrew, Harry Michael Mulrow, Herman George Xavier Kraus, Philip Joseph Pruzzo, Francis Joseph Robert Voll, William Joseph Ring, Paul Anthony Joseph Fabiau, Joseph John Lucas, Bertrand Mary Joseph Simpson, Alphons William Joseph Lares, Joseph Francis Condron, Clarence Joseph Matthews, Clarence Bernard Joseph Zink, Robert John Joseph Cusick, Smith Joseph Henry Witter, Harold James Sherrer, Joseph Theodore Stuber, Paul Martin John Byers, Francis John Naylor, Francis Henry Kruskamp, Michael Anthony McGrath, Leo James Moran, Emanuel John Pruzzo, John Matthew Bray, Robert Adam William Simonis, Clayton Albert Rathbone, Alphonsa Charles Armbruster, Arthur Stephen Norris, Patrick Francis Ring, Clarence Joseph Andrews, Joseph James Myers, Alphonse Dominic McGrath, Vincent Joseph St Germain, James Ryan, John Henry Norris, John Paul Cusic, John William Boler, Thomas Edward William Condron, Raymond Aloysius McFarland, Edward Murphy James, Charles Richard O'Brien, Paul Leo Stuber, Arthur Aloysius Stahl, Louis Bernard Thompson, Eugene John Ryan, Walter Thomas Prendergast, Harry John Cramer, John Lawrence Sullivan, Harold Advain Paul Rhoads, Homer Mary Cleary, Louis Joseph Amberg, Bernard Joseph Lawler, Joseph Nordima, Alfred John Witter, Walter Joseph Monnette, Daniel James O'Connell, William James Haubert, Charles Edward Martin Scanlan, Walter Joseph Naylor, Raymond James Lares, Richard Joseph Bernhart, Edward John O'Brien, James Edward Fye, Haskell Joseph Gleespen, Bernard James Edgar Murphy, Robert Paul Murphy, John Joseph Armbruster, Forest Francis Gillespie, Richard Charles Norris, Henry Joseph Barnhart, Edgar Thomas Cusick, Dennis Francis Ryan, Harold Aloysia Murphy, William Edward Orians, Robert Joseph Rhoads, Robert Joseph Von Kaenel, Francis Anthony Reardon, Hugh Bernard Ryan, Edwin Alloysius Stahl, James Thomas Hannegan, Francis Earl Barks, Michael Norbert Hannegan, Francis Patrick Cornelius Dwyer, William Paul Plunkett, James Timothy Paul Conarty, John James Lardner, Orville James Bernard Tobin, Edward John Brittian and Emmett James Hanley.

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BIRTHS.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. William F. Soulter, of Owens street, Thursday.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Lowell H. Guthery, of west of Marion, Thursday evening.

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The City Will Have $6,000 Le... Last Year After Saloon ... Considered — County Will ... $9,000 Less After Saloon ... Counted—The Tax Levy.

County Auditor Jay Spaun went hunting, last Friday, with heavy load removed from his m... The auditor since coming into office has had a big bunch of business on his hands, the figuring of valuations so that he in conjunction with the tax-budget commission might fix the rate of tax levy to be made for the coming year.

The work this year was exceptionally trying and difficult owing to the beginning of work under the operations of the Smith one-per-cent. tax law, and when the budget commission met with the auditor three days ago it found itself in a position to appreciate what what had been done by the auditor and to realize that it had a job on hand of more than ordinary importance.

Under the provisions of the Smith law it was necessary to keep the levy down to one per cent. for both city and county and this had been done by some exhaustive cuttings in appropriations, trimmings which the officials regret, but which were absolutely necessary. As a result of the cutting, it is extremely probably that the schools of the Marion union school district will remain open but nine months during the year. The school board was allowed $6,500 less than was asked and $3,000 less than the appropriation for last year.

Big Reductions.

The city will have $6,000 less than last year for the operating expenses, after an additional revenue of $14,000 in saloon tax is taken into consideration. This brings the appropriation for the city $20,000 below that of last year.

The estimated county appropriation will be about $9,000 less than last year, taking into consideration a revenue of $5,000 from the liquor tax. This shows a paring of $14,000 below the appropriation of a year ago.

The auditor and commission had a city tax duplicate of $19,935,450 and a county tax duplicate of $33,698,-640, a total of $53,634,590 to figure on, and its figures as stated will keep the flat rate under one per cent., but this is exclusive of sinking-fund levy which is especially provided for by the law.

The rate for the county will not be available until next Monday, but the average rate for the city personal and real property will be 12.6 mills.

The Rates in City.

The flat rate on real estate in the city will be thirteen mills and on personal property 12.2 mills.

As to the appropriation for various purposes, .451 mills are allowed for state and 2.878 mills for county purposes within the city, for the Marion union school district the rates will be 3.9725. The township levy is but nineteenth-hundreds of a mill. For the corporation the rate will be 4.7085 mills, and for Marion ditches eight-tenths of a mill. The rate on personal property in the city is lowered because of its appropriation of eight-tenths of a mill for the ditches. Otherwise it would be the same as that on real estate.

The rate on real estate in the city last year was forty mills and 37.0 mills on personal property.

The figures for city and county in full will be available next Monday. The figures with the exception of a few minor items are not known.

According to the figures given the city schools will have the sum of $81,650 and the city will have the sum of $108,565 for operating expenses during the coming year.

UNITY SUNDAY WILL BE OBSERVED IN CITY

A Special Sermon at Presbyterian Church.

"Unity Sunday," a day dedicated to world-wide peace, will be observed in Marion, Sunday, November 26. The observance of the day throughout the United State so far as is possible has been arranged for by the American Peace and Arbitration league of New York.

The clergy and educational leaders throughout the country have shown their good feeling toward the efforts of the league. Rev. George M. Rourke of the First Presbyterian church has signified his intention of observing the day with a special sermon. Most of the local clergymen of the city will probably make reference to the object of the observance.

The arbitration treaties between the United States and Great Britain and between this country and France now pending in the United States senate are in grave danger of failure of ratification. The observance of the day will no doubt have a helpful effect on the action taken on the treaties.

PROSPECT COUPLE MARRIED AT DELAWARE

Mr. A. L. Graham and Miss Sarah Dildine Are Wedded.

Prospect, O., Nov. 18.—[Special.]—Miss Sarah Dildine and Mr. A. L. Graham were united in marriage at Delaware today noon by Rev. J. J. Halliday. The young people were unattended. After a short wedding trip they will take up their residence with the bride's parents Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dildine, of this place.

Mrs. Graham for the past seven years has been employed as an operator in the Citizen's exchange at Prospect and is well known here where she had a wide circle of friends. Mr. Graham is a son of Mr. and Mrs. John Graham, of Radnor, and is engaged in the real estate business in Prospect.

Liquor Licenses.

The county auditor has issued liquor licenses to Rohr brothers and Louis Goldberg, of this city

THREE DIVORCES ARE GRANTED BY COURT

On the Ground of Gross Neglect of Duty.

LUCINDA REEVES GETS ONE DECREE

Manley L. Watrous Draws the Second and Grace Castleman, the Third—The Court Has a Very Busy Day—Leave To File Many Pleadings Granted.

The divorce matter of Lucinda Reeves, of Ballentine avenue, against Charles N. Reeves, of Enterprise, West Virginia, came up before Judge W. E. Scofield, Monday after... and resulted in a ... the ... [illegible]

POLICE CAPTAIN BOND MAY SUE FOR SALARY

Has Civil Service Commission Power To Make Charges.

From the statement of one of the attorneys of Captain A. L. Bond, made Tuesday mornin, the case of the captain may take a turn by suit being brought to recover his pay for the time he has been suspended. The attorney, who assisted in defending Captain Bond before the civil service commission, was not inclined to talk freely of what would be done but stated that it was very probable that a suit would be brought to secure his pay during his suspension.

It is the opinion of the attorney that the commission had no right to bring charges against the captain. The commission reversed the decision of the safety director and found the captain innocent of the ... [illegible]

LYDIA CHAPTER, NO. 83 ORDER OF EASTERN STAR

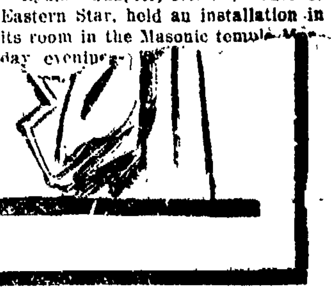
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A SOCIAL SESSION FOLLOWS THE WORK

Kosciusko Lodge of Odd Fellows Confers First Degree on Three Candidates and Makes First Nominations of Officers—Marion Lodge, Knights of Pythias, Meets.

Lydia Chapter, No. 83, Order of Eastern Star, held an installation in its room in the Masonic temple Monday evening ... [illegible]

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A lot of good, church-going people turn up their noses at Mr. Taft's peace program as impossible despite the "Good Book's" clearly-outlined prophecy in the third verse of the fourth chapter of Micah.

It's easy to see, now, that this announced "retirement" on the part of Colonel Roosevelt was only one phase of a deep study in contrasts.

We assume that our agricultural friends will hold that the Texas farmers, who are holding a million bales of cotton for a raise, constitute definitely, finding [illegible] would [illegible] gross neglect of duty, but [illegible] pended him for thirty days, dating from November 4, for unbecoming conduct.

The case of Captain Bond was heard before the civil service commission in the council chamber, Saturday afternoon. Captain Bond's case was brought before the commission last Tuesday evening, at which time it was remanded back to the safety director for hearing. In view of the fact that the safety director did not hold a hearing up to Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock, the case was carried back to the civil service commission in the same way it came before the commission last Tuesday evening.

Captain Bond was suspended for five days by Chief Klinefelter, pending an investigation of a complaint made against him by Rev. E. L. Weatherwax, who charged Bond with failing to do his duty the night of October 28, when a speaker for the drys was interrupted while speaking from the west steps of the courthouse.

Safety Director Knapp took the testimony of several witnesses furnished by Rev. E. L. Weatherwax, and suspended the captain indefinitely, this being equivalent to a dismissal. Bond secured counsel and appealed his case to the civil service commission. The attorneys for the defendant were heard last Tuesday evening before the commission, and the case was then remanded back to the safety director. When the matter came up for hearing, Saturday afternoon, the council chamber was crowded.

Captain Bond was represented by Attorneys G. E. Mouser and J. H. Eymon. Attorney Eymon was the first to speak after the court called for order. He stated that the only decision the commission should make would be to raise the suspension of Captain Bond, in view of the fact that the commission had remanded the case back to the safety director and the latter had done nothing to give Bond a fair deal. The decision that the captain must be given a hearing was ignored by the safety director and the attorney said the director was the man guilty of insubordination. The speaker informed the commission that it had nothing more to work on than it had last Tuesday evening, that the defendant's witnesses were never heard by the safety director, although the latter was furnished a list of witnesses to call. He said that the safety director merely took the word of a preacher who had his back up and thought at the time that the man should be suspended.

After the evidence had been submitted the attorneys for the defendant reviewed the evidence to the commission.

At the close of the talk of the attorneys the commission announced that it had decided to reserve its decision until Monday at 12 o'clock.

The commission did not wait until 12 o'clock to deliver its decision, but gave out the following finding at 10 o'clock Monday morning.

Finding of Commission.

This is a case wherein A. L. Bond, captain of police of the city of Marion, Ohio, was suspended by the chief of police of said city for gross neglect of duty to-wit: that on the evening of October 28, 1911, said Captain Bond refused to actively disperse certain persons who were interfering with a speaker addressing the public on the court house steps in the said city of Marion, the allegations or charges being made by Rev. E. L. Weatherwax. The suspended officer, Captain Bond, carried the case to the director of public safety for investigation and, upon the sworn statements of Weatherwax and several other witnesses, the safety director confirmed the action of the chief of police and in his decision indefinitely suspended Captain Bond, who appealed from the decision of the safety director to the civil service commission. The appeal was heard by the commission and upon the hearing, the commission finds, first:

That there was great disturbance at the meeting referred to in the charges of Rev. Weatherwax and that Captain Bond did refuse to hearken unto the pleading of Rev. Weatherwax to publicly make effort to restore order and in the heated conversation between Rev. Weatherwax and himself he, the captain, "I will take you down a peg or two; I will bring you in; I will arrest you etc." On the other hand the evidence shows that Captain Bond did instruct two of the patrolmen to circulate through the crowd and to arrest any person who violated the law. This was shown by the two patrolmen on duty.

The testimony of ex-Sheriff Battenfield was given some serious consideration by the commission because of his experience with a mob which formed at the county jail to

No doubt a certain eminent gentleman of New Jersey argues to himself that if Princeton college can cut such a swath on the football field, there's no reason why the former head of that college wouldn't prove some pumpkins in the presidential.

While Nick Longworth has not yet declared himself publicly, it is probable that Father-in-Law Roosey will have his support in 1912. he [illegible] used

No doubt Mr. La Follette speak just as good a figurehead what he interests as any other know my select to defeat the d by one of Mr. Taft. s not clear to

At the Rogerwax as a good Youngstown chairman of the Wannamakeestion, did his full to Weatherwax in words unbecoming an officer who was appealed to for protection. This is born out by the testimony of W. E. Morrow, R. R. Fox and George A. Park. In conclusion, the commission finds that disorder did prevail at the said public meeting, that Captain Bond was present, and that he was appealed to by a citizen who presided at said meeting. That while Captain Bond did not respond to the request of said chairman in the manner desired, he, the captain, is not guilty of gross neglect, but the commission does find him guilty of unbecoming conduct and therefore it is of the opinion of the commission that the judgment of director of public safety, should be changed from indefinite suspension to suspension for thirty days from date of suspension by Chief Klinefelter, November 4, 1911, and that said thirty days suspension be without pay. Respectfully submitted,

N. E. Arnold, president
W. T. Jones, clerk.
L. Reber.
Civil Service Commission.

FRANK M'BRIDE IS PLACED UNDER ARREST

Charged with Stealing Goods from Powers Livery Barn.

On a warrant issued in the court of Justice Charles H. Couley, Frank McBride, of this city, was arrested at Caledonia, Sunday, charged with the theft of a suit of clothes belonging to Arthur D. Poorman, and a pair of gloves, a pair of leggins and $2.35 in money from Charles Powers.

McBride is alleged to have stolen the goods and the money from the Powers livery barn on east Center street.

McBride boarded a train here and was intercepted at Caledonia, and brought here, where he was arraigned. He entered a plea of guilty. Sentence has not yet been imposed upon him.

ELSON ART EXHIBIT AN EXCELLENT ONE

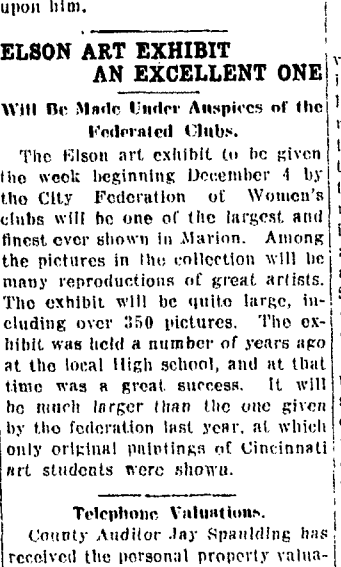
Will Be Made Under Auspices of the Federated Clubs.

The Elson art exhibit to be given the week beginning December 4 by the City Federation of Women's clubs will be one of the largest and finest ever shown in Marion. Among the pictures in the collection will be many reproductions of great artists. The exhibit will be quite large, including over 350 pictures. The exhibit was held a number of years ago at the local High school, and at that time was a great success. It will be much larger than the one given by the federation last year, at which only original paintings of Cincinnati art students were shown.

Telephone Valuations.

County Auditor Jay Spaulding has received the personal property valuations of the various telephone companies in the county from the state tax commission, as follows: Prospect, $20,600; Beach, $3,240; Caledonia, $10,730; Central Union, $46,100; Galion, $110; LaRue, $37,460; Marion County, $276,900, and United States, $6,890.

BOY ECONOMIST ADVISES SENATORS



ANDREW JARITZ.

Perhaps the newest view of the trust question that has been presented thus far to the Senate Committee on Interstate Commerce in Washington came from the lips of Andrew Jaritz, a lad barely twenty years of age, who has been in this country nineteen months.

Mr. Jaritz will remain in Washington throughout the hearng and listen to everything that is said.

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COURTIER.

By William T. Ellis.

The International Sunday-School Lesson for November 26 Is "Nehemiah's Prayer." Nehemiah 1.

Drop into the local room of any large newspaper after the copy is all in, and it will be easy to hear a flippant discussion by the young reporters concerning the out-of-dateness of religion. Spicing their talk with considerable profanity, these young men will demonstrate how such modern and wise men of the world as themselves are quite superior to that outgrown thing called Christianity. Then go downstairs to where the editorial writers have their offices, along with the men who control the destinies of the paper. Probably no profanity will be heard, and a surprising proportion of the men will be found to be members of the church, and occasionally speakers at religious conventions. The parallel is significant, but its principal point is that a little knowledge of life tends to irreverence, whereas a broader grasp of human nature and human history makes men religious. The reporters will have outgrown their frivolous attitude toward the sublimities by the time they have graduated into editorial offices.

In like fashion, one may find the clerks in the departments at Washington, Ottawa and London, quick with clever sneers and gibes at religion; but presidents, premiers, cabinet officers, and other leading statesmen may be found during their hours of ease, reading the books of religion and philosophy. The inventor of the Gatling gun, Dr. Gatling, once said to me, when our conversation chanced to fall upon his friend, Mr. Ingersoll, that he thought Mr. Ingersoll was a very able man and a very clever man, but by no means a truly great man, for every great man is possessed of the spirit of reverence. May we not add that the greatness of the great consists in the recognition of the greater? The coronation of King George was a religious function.

Our present lesson takes us into an oriental palace. We find one of the confidential servants of "the great king," a man with constant access to the royal presence, forgetting his pride and privileges and bowing low in prayer to the Lord of Hosts. Old Shushan, that scene of royal pomp, never witnessed a nobler spectacle than Nehemiah's prayerful concern for the welfare of Jerusalem. Nehemiah was higher when he bent upon his knees than when he stood before the conquering Xerxes.

Religions and Affairs.

There is a suspicion widely prevalent that the writers of religious literature do not know real life. They dwell in an artificial atmosphere of piety. They meet only their own kind. Like some preachers they are out of touch with men in the everydayness of life, where men meet as men, and the trade of each is forgotten. That religious talk and teaching is often perfunctory and professional cannot be denied. Some of the standards they hold up will not endure the fresh air and the sunlight.

Nevertheless and notwithstanding, religion is for real men and for strong men, for the statesman at the capital and for the farmer at the plow. That is one of the attestations of the present time. The men and religion movement which is covering the country, the rapid spread of the brotherhood idea, the astonishing growth of adult Bible classes, the popularity of the laymen's missionary movement, the imposing parades of the Holy Name society, all testify that Nehemiah, the religious man of affairs, has many successors, and that the man who is out in the busy world is also often apart in the closet of private devotion. The recent death of a splendid southern gentleman, Justice Harlan, of the United States supreme court, recalls the fact that many of the ablest jurists in our land are conspicuously active in church work.

News From Home.

One evening my raft on the Tigris river tied up at Mosul, opposite the ruins of old Nineveh, and reputed to be the most inaccessible city in the Turkish empire. Early the next morning I had a visit from a man who said that he had seen the American flag flying above my tent, and he had made haste to come and speak with me, because he also was an American. He was the only American within a radius of hundreds of miles, and it seemed good to him to see the old flag once more, and to be able to have speech with a fellow-American. Throughout my sojourn at Mosul he was at my service, showing me many and varied courtesies, all because I was a man from home.

That is human nature. An unlettered boyhood friend from the old home back in the country town, can have the ear of the public man in his private office, while men of affairs cool their heels in the outer office. Who has not seen a busy city man reading the little home paper with more interest than he bestows upon any of the metropolitan journals? In all this we see mirrored Nehemiah, the dweller in a king's court who suddenly came upon two men from Jerusalem. Forgotten were the pending affairs of state and the latest court gossip. The city on Mount Zion, the home of every true Jew's heart, might be lying in ruins, but it meant more to Nehemiah than all the splendid palaces of Shushan.

Reform That Hurt Business.

Thirteen years had elapsed since Ezra's return. His drastic reforms, while for the ultimate good of the returned Jews, had created an assortment of bitter enemies. He had compelled the men to put away their heathen wives, and each wife had returned to her home and to her tribe to foment a feud. Reform does interfere with business, especially with bad business. Yet he has scant devotion to principle who will countenance wrong for the sake of temporary and temporal benefit. No more shameful defense of the liquor traffic for instance, has been offered than the one that it brings in a revenue to the state; the implication being that the jingle of this gold in the public coffers drowns all sound of widow's weeping, and children's suffering, and strong men's delirium, and prisoners' reproaches.

Conditions in Jerusalem called urgently for the help of a strong and practical man. The city needed walls, but most of all it needed the walls such as Sparta possessed when the king said to a stranger, pointing to his soldiers, "Behold the walls of Sparta,—and every man a brick." The need of our western communities today is the need for Spartan men—or better, let us say, for true Christian men, who put public welfare above private profit. China's need in this turbulent hour is for men. Turkey's crisis finds her unable to secure, through long and critical days, true men for the Sultan's cabinet. The prayer for the day is, "God give us men!"

The Praying Courtier.

Overwhelmed by the news from home, Nehemiah, who seems to have been an antetype of the American, straightway asked himself, "What can I do about it?" His practical bent appeared at once. As Kipling says of the American,

He turns a keen, untroubled face
Home to the instant need of things."

Sore beset by the dire conditions which had come to his knowledge, and so to his sense of responsibility, Nehemiah found that his influence and position and statecraft were not equal to the emergency. Like Lincoln, he was compelled to turn to God for help by the conviction that he had nowhere else to go. The glorious paradox is forever true, that the shortest route to anywhere is by way of the throne of heaven. Concerned for loved ones beyond our reach, concerned for grave national ills, concerned for poor, distraught China and for the imperilled Christians of Turkey, we can but follow Nehemiah's statesmanlike example and carry their case to the king of kings.

A Model Prayer.

The largst part of this first chapter of the book of Nehemiah is taken up with the prayer of the cup-bearer of the king. It contains all the elements of a model prayer. First, there was the humble mind of the suppliant. He wept and mourned and fasted. Arrogance cannot pray. It is with reason that men pray from their knees. It is more important to recognize that God is on the throne than to know that we are in a position of need. Nehemiah's prayer exalted Jehovah "that keepeth covenant." The old-fashioned prayers of our forefathers, which recognized the greatness and sovereignty of God, have gone somewhat out of fashion, but the flippant familiarity, which has in some cases succeeded them, is no improvement. There must be a true spirit of reverence before there can be any prayer.

This man prayed a big prayer. While it is true that nothing that is great enough to concern one of God's children is too small to be taken to Him in prayer, yet it is also true that no worthy prayer may be made up wholly of small and selfish petitions. In Nehemiah's case we see fulfilled the Psalmist's words, "Pray for the peace of Jerusalem." He carried a nation on his heart. The religious and physical condition of his countrymen brought tears to the eyes and anguish to his soul. This is the kind of prayer that God delights to answer.

Frank, square, open dealing with God characterized Nehemiah's petition. He confessed his sin and the sin of his people. He pleaded no merit of his own. All that he asked was of grace, and not of right.

Knowledge of the word of God enables one to pray in accord with the will of God. So Nehemiah pleaded the promises, and he recited God's way and words with the chosen people.

Then he yeft it all with Jehovah, trusting that he migh' have favor with the king when he should appear before him. He new that the heart of Xerses was in the hand of Jehovah. The close of his petition shows that calm assurance which is the first reward of true prayor.

Wants Information.

R. H. Butler, of No. 708 east Center street, Warsaw, Indiana, has written to Clerk of Courts William W. Klinefelter asking him for information regarding the ancestors of Israel Uncapher, who left Marion several years before the civil war, according to the letter. Uncapher moved to Indiana and the writer of the letter seems very anxious to learn something of his antecedents and other relatives.

Aged Man Stricken.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles V. Schoonmaker, of west Columbia street, left Monday morning for Chicago, where they were called by the serious illness of Mr. Schoonmaker's father, William Schoonmaker, of Carrollton, New York, who was enroute here from Whitmore county, Nebraska, when he was stricken. The aged Mr. Schoonmaker will be brought to this city.

DIVORCE MATTERS IN COMMON PLEAS COURT

Mrs. Elsie Bock Files a Petition for Divorce Monday.

FAILURE TO PROVIDE AND DESERTION CHARGED

Mrs. Catherine Grunditsch Sues Adam Grunditsch for a Divorce. Charges Neglect of Family and Squandering of Money — Notes from Court of Common Pleas.

Mrs. Elsie Bock has begun suit for a divorce from Miriam S. Bock in the court of common pleas. The plaintiff recited in her petition that she was married to the defendant, November 26, 1906, and no children have been born of this union. She charges failure to provide and desertion.

Mrs Catherine Grunditsch has begun a suit for divorce from Adam Grunditch. The plaintiff states that she was married to Grunditsch, February 20, 1892, and one child has been born of the union. In the course of her petition she alleges that the defendant has squandered his earnings and has not provided for his wife and child. She further states that the defendant is now the owner of a second-hand store in Toledo and owns a draying business in that city. She prays for a divorce, alimony and the custody of the child.

In the matter of the International Harvester company against George W. Parish, the defendant has filed an answer in which the jurisdiction of common pleas court in the case is denied. The defendant claims that the justice's court from which the matter is carried up, has full and final jurisdiction.

In the suit of the James Haas Remedy company against Wilson O. Rish an answer has been filed in which the defendant claims that the remedies and stock food sold him were without merit and wholly without value. He asks that the petition be dismissed and for all proper relief.

Mrs. Mary A. Haberman was granted a divorce from John A. Haberman by Judge W. E. Scofield, Monday afternoon, on the ground of gross neglect of duty. The parties to the suit have one daughter, aged sixteen years. Her custody was not awarded. The property matters involved were settled by agreement out of court.

Mrs. Grace Castleman was given a divorce, Monday, from Edward B. Castleman on grounds of abuse and desertion. The couple has no children.

The divorce matter of David C. Hawley against Hedridge M. Hawley was heard in the court of common pleas, Monday afternoon. No decree was given, the court reserving its decision.

MINISTERS OF CITY HOLD MEETING MONDAY

Two New Ministers Are Received into Association.

There was some discussion of a union evangelistic campaign this winter at a regular meeting of the Marion Ministerial association at the Marion Public library, Monday morning. Practically all of the ministers in the city are favorable toward such a campaign, and it will be held within the next few months. No definite plans for the campaign were made, however, and the ministers have not yet decided upon an evangelist.

The devotions with which the meeting was opened at 10 o'clock, were conducted by Rev. T. A. Lagemann, of the German Methodist circuit. Rev. George M. Rourke, of the First Presbyterian church, introduced Rev. D. N. Kelly, pastor of the Wesley M. E. church, and Rev. W. A. Ferguson, pastor of the Lee Street Presbyterian church. Both ministers were received into full membership.

One of the important matters given attention was the fixing of a uniform hour for the prayer services in the various churches. Some of the churches have held the services at 7 o'clock and others at 7:30 o'clock, Wednesday evening. It was decided to hold the services at 7:15 o'clock.

The next meeting of the association will be held in two weeks

C. A. YOAKUM BUYS STANLEY GROCERY

Takes Possession of the Business Last Saturday.

C. A. Yoakum, a former employee of the Huber company, has purchased the E. J. Stanley grocery at the corner of Center street and Grand avenue, and took possession Saturday.

E. J. Stanley will not take up active work until spring. His son, Frank Stanley, has accepted a clerkship at the Lewis grocery.

Oil and Gas Company.

A company is being organized in Richland township for the purpose of drilling for oil and gas. The company will lease about 5,000 acres in Richland township, and will begin drilling a well as soon as sufficient stock is subscribed and the organization of the company completed.

F. A. Stengle, optician, S. State St. 43-eokwk-tf

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Don't neglect your horse but keep him under cover while in harness or in the stable. You save feed and keep him in better condition and get better service.

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Stable Blankets from.....90cts to $2.25
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Ladies' Alaskas, extra good quality, $1.
Ladies Rubbers, the kind that fits and wears, 49c to 75c.
Warm lined Shoes for ladies, extra good Fleece lining, $1.50 and 2.00.
Hi Top Shoes for the Boys, $1.95 to $2.75
Leggings and Overgaiters, 25c and 50c.
Misses and Children's Jockey Boots, the popular thing for the Children.
Men's Fine Dress Shoes, tans and blacks button or lace, all the new things.
Ladies' fine dress Shoe, patents and gun metal, tans, velvets.
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Delaware	Pomeroy

Consult Hocking Valley Ticket Agent for Information.

E. Nebergall, Agt. H. V. R'y., Marion.

TRAVELER'S GUIDE.

HOCKING VALLEY.

North—*7:07 a. m.; 10:17 a. m.; 4:17 p. m.; †6:10 p. m.; 11:15 p. m.
South—5:50 a. m.; 7:20 a. m.; *1:35 p. m.; 7:20 p. m.; 10:22 a. m.
*Daily except Sunday.
†Runs to Marion only.

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Southwest—10:27 a. m.; 5:18 p. m.; 1:39 a. m.
East—5:38 a. m.; 12:52 p. m.; 11:55 p. m.; 5:57 p. m.

CHICAGO & ERIE.

West—10:25 a. m.; 12:05 a. m.; *7:45 a. m.; *5:10 p. m.
East—5:38 a. m.; *†2:55 a. m.; *5:10 p. m.; 5:57 p. m.
*Daily except Sunday.
†Runs to Marion only.
‡Runs to Ohio City only.

PENNSYLVANIA.

Northbound—*12:25 a. m., *6:52 p. m.; †8:10 a. m.; †8:20 p. m.
Southbound—a10:13 a. m.; *1:05 p. m.; †5:40 p. m.
*Daily except Sunday. †Sunday only. aDaily.

BIG FOUR.

Eastbound—8:26 a. m.; 12:25 noon; 7:56 p. m.; 10:42 p. m.; *5:27 p. m.
Westbound—5:58 a. m.; 10:03 a. m.; 1:35 p. m.; 7:13 p. m.; *3:10 p. m.
*Daily except Sunday.

C., D. & M. ELECTRIC.

Depart Southbound—6 a. m.; 7 a. m.; 8 a. m.; 9 a. m.; 11 a. m.; 12 m.; 1 p. m., 3 p. m.; 4 p. m.; 5 p. m.; 6 p. m.; 7 p. m.; 9 p. m.; *11 p. m.
Arrive Northbound—†8:55 a. m.; †6:5 a. m.; †7:55 a. m.; 8:55 a. m.; 9:55 a. m.; 10:55 a. m.; 12:55 p. m.; 1:55 p. m.; 2:55 p. m.; 4:55 p. m.; 5:50 p. m.; 6:55 p. m.; 8:55 p. m.; 10:55 p. m.
*Goes to Delaware only. †From Strafford only.
Hourly service Sundays and holidays

C., M. B. ELECTRIC.

Northbound—Cars leave Marion for Bucyrus at 8, 8, 10 a. m.; 12 noon, 2, 4, 6, 8 and 10 p. m.
Southbound—Cars leave Bucyrus for Marion at 7, 9 and 11 a. m. and 1, 3, 5, 7, 9 and 11 p. m.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Dry cow to fatten for beef. Also a yearling heifer. Inquire 451 Mt. Vernon avenue or phone Y-918. 292-f-s-wk-6

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THE COUNTY OFFICERS FIGURE ON SALARIES

To Be Paid to Deputies and Clerks Next Year.

COUNTY CLERK'S WANTS ARE WITHIN LIMIT

Makes a Saving on the Year Past. Auditor's Office Needs $2,400. Probate Court Satisfied with $600 Less Than That—Treasurer Same as Probate Court.

The county officers are filing with the county commissioners their reports on the fees collected by them from September 30, 1910 to September 30,1911, what they paid out for clerk hire during the period mentioned and the amount needed for clerk hire for 1912. The officers, under the law, are allowed for clerk hire thirty per cent. on the first $2,000 taken in as fees, and forty per cent. on all above that amount. In case there is a deficiency, it is necessary for the officer in the office in which the deficiency exists, to go to the common pleas court for relief.

County Clerk W. W. Klinefelter for 1912 asks for $600 for deputy and $358.06 for assistant deputy. He collected during the period mentioned $2,895.06, and expended $650 for clerk hire, $308.06 less than the apportionment.

Treasurer Robert S. Dombaugh asks for $1,200 for his deputy and $600 for clerk hire in 1912. The fees for the stated period were $5,256.68, the appropriation thus being $1,902.67, of which $1,800 were used.

Probate Judge W. S. Spencer asks for $1,800 for clerk hire in 1912. From September 30, 1910, to September 30, 1911, the fees in the probate court amounted to $5,012.30, the apportionment for clerk hire being $1,804.92, of which the sum of $1,770 was expended

Auditor Jay Spaulding asks for $2,400 for 1912, $1,200 for chief deputy, $720 for assistant, and $480 for clerk. In the auditor's office during the period stated the fees collected amounted to $6,044.92 and the sum of $2,386.50 was paid out for deputies and clerk hire, $168.53 in excess of the apportionment of $2,217.97.

County Recorder E. F. Tittelbaugh and Sheriff John G. Stark have reported to the county commissioners the fees collected by them for the year ended September 30, 1910, what they paid out for clerk hire and what appropriations they need for clerk hire for 1912.

Record Tittelbaugh wants $1,600 for 1912, $1,080 for a deputy and $520 for a clerk. He collected during the year fees amounting to $3,017.21, and paid out for clerk hire $1,178.08, which was $471.20 more than the percentage of fees set apart for clerk hire.

Sheriff Stark asks for $1,200 for 1912. He collected during the year $1,865.05, which allowed him but $560.41, which was $639.59 less than paid for his deputy, for which balance it was necessary to go to the common pleas court for relief

EMBROIDERY CLUB HOLDS A MEETING

At the Home of Mrs. Thomas Finefrock, of Prospect.

Prospect, O., Nov. 23.—[Special.]—The Embroidery club spent a very pleasant afternoon with Mrs. Thomas Finefrock at her home on Water street, last Thursday. A season of needlework and social chat was greatly enjoyed, after which the company repaired to the dining-room, where a splendid six-o'clock dinner was enjoyed. The decorations and place cards were in keeping with the Thanksgiving season. Mrs. Finefrock was assisted in the dining-room by her sister, Mrs. Charles Sechrist, and Miss Edna Stockwell. The only out-of-town guest was Mrs Ralph Lennox, of Richwood. Mrs. R. H. Finefrock will entertain the club at the next meeting.

The second reception given by Durward Lodge, No. 153, Knights of Pythias, to the knights and their families, was held at the hall Monday evening. There was a large attendance. A special feature of entertainment was the debate on the question, "Shall Women Have the Right of Franchise?" Affirmative, J. D. Lewis, W. L. Cox, F. E. Moyer. Negative, A. E. Johnson, John Greek and H. H. Smith. After a heated discussion pro and con, the decision was laid over until the next meeting. This was followed by a beautiful piano solo by John Coleirapp, of Delaware. A buffet luncheon was greatly enjoyed. The next reception will be held Monday evening, December 18.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Wottring returned to their home at Bellwood, Pennsylvania, Saturday, after an extended visit with Mrs. Wottring's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Fritch.

Mrs. Ralph Lennox, of Richwood, was the guest of Mrs. W. W. Ocker the past week.

Mrs. Ellen Wolfley, who has been in very poor health for some time, left Wednesday for Lake City, Florida, where she expects to spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Crabb, of Springfield, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Crabb, last Sunday.

Rev. L. H. Hurrelbrink attended the funeral of a relative in Toledo, Friday.

Mrs. Marguerite Smith Allkire, of New York City; Miss Olive Smith, of Joplin, Missouri; Miss Emma Smith and Mrs. Anne Smith, of Columbus, were entertained at the home of the latter's son, H. H. Smith, last Sunday.

Mrs. E. E. Wottring, Mrs T. E. Drake and Mrs S. C. Treese were the guests of Mrs. Will Finley in Marion, last Wednesday.

Mrs. J. J. Roberts was hostess to the Women's Missionary society, of the Baptist church, at her home on Main street, Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mounts, of Marion, spent Sunday with relatives.

Mrs. Sarah Thatcher left Monday for Marshall, Texas, where she will spend the winter with her son, N. E. Thatcher.

Mrs. E. S. McNabb, of Ashland, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. D. Beavers, over Sunday.

The Mother's council held a very interesting meeting at the home of Mrs. Harvey Wolfley, Thursday afternoon.

Miss Virginia Howison, of Richwood, spent several days this week with friends.

Mrs W. E. Huckeriede is entertaining her sister, Miss Minnie Aebker, of Indianapolis.

Mr. and Mrs W. C. Hunter and Mrs. R. G. Staiger, of Columbus, were entertained at the home of R. A. Wilcox, last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Roberts, of Lima, visited relatives here the past week.

The class of boys from the M. E. Sunday-school were nicely entertained by their teacher, Herman Kuchner, in the basement of the church, Tuesday evening.

MISS CATHERINE LARES AND MR. J. F. COFFEY

Are Married at St. Mary's Church, Wednesday Morning.

Miss Catherine Z. Lares and Mr. James F. Coffey were united in marriage at the St. Mary's church, Wednesday morning at 7:30 o'clock Rev. Father Joseph M. Denning performed the ceremony in the presence of about fifty guests.

The bride looked very charming in a white creation of satin. She was attended by her sister, Miss Margaret Lares, as bridesmaid. The groom's best man was Timothy J. Coffey, a brother.

Following the wedding, a four-course breakfast was enjoyed at the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Coffey, of Park boulevard.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs Peter Lares, of Blaine avenue, and is very well known. The groom is employed in the Erie yards, and has a large circle of friends.

Among those from a distance who attended the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Kossuth and Miss Gloeckner, of Pomeroy.

Mr. and Mrs. Coffey will make their future home at No. 381 Blaine avenue.

MRS. JENNIE RIDER DIES OF PARALYSIS

Death Comes at Home in Pleasant Township.

Mrs. Jennie Rider, wife of Daniel B. Rider, died of paralysis at her home in Pleasant township at midnight Tuesday night. She had been ill for the past three years.

Mrs. Rider was born in Scott township March 3, 1861, and was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Foos. She had always resided in this county. She was married to Daniel B. Rider December 29, 1881, and to this union were born three children. They with their father survive. The children are Willis H. Rider, of Marion; Ottis E. and Mary May, both of whom reside at home.

The deceased was a member of the Methodist Protestant church of Claibourne, Union county, and was a good Christian woman.

POLICE COURT.

About 7 o'clock, Tuesday evening, A. M. Campbell, who conducts a grocery on South Vine street and resides on Willow street, saw three boys of tender years enter his grocery. Campbell called Chief Klinefelter, who summoned Acting Captain Thompson and Officer Shrock to respond to the call. The chief preceded the other officers to the scene and caught the three boys in the store. The youths were taken to police headquarters and their parents were notified. They were taken to the city prison where they were given an explanation of the horrors of confinement and what would happen if they continued in the work they were doing. On their promise to appear next morning at 8 o'clock, the boys were released. Their ages ranged from eight to fourteen years and when they appeared, Wednesday, they were taken before Probate Judge Spencer where they were given a lecture and released on their promise to be good. The boys entered the store by opening the front door with an ordinary house key. They had nothing on their persons when Chief Klinefelter arrived on the scene.

Mrs. Moore Stricken.

The wife of Bishop David H. Moore, who is well known in this city, suffered a slight paralytic stroke on the left side, at her home in Cincinnati, Monday afternoon. Mrs. Moore was found in a semi-conscious condition, but she rallied under the ministrations of a physician, and hopes are held out for her ultimate recovery.

A Ditch Granted.

The county commissioners gave the Sager-Merritt ditch improvement in Marion and Big Island townships a final hearing, Tuesday, and after a few changes in the plans granted the improvement, which will be sold December 2

FRANCES WILLARD W.C.T.U. MEETING

An Important Gathering of the White Ribboners.

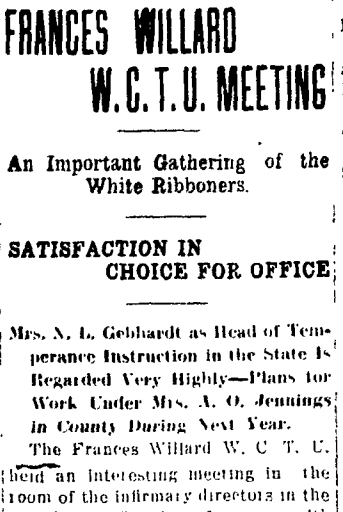
SATISFACTION IN CHOICE FOR OFFICE

Mrs. N. L. Gebhardt as Head of Temperance Instruction in the State Is Regarded Very Highly—Plans for Work Under Mrs. A. O. Jennings in County During Next Year.

The Frances Willard W. C. T. U. held an interesting meeting in the room of the infirmary directors in the courthouse, Tuesday afternoon, with a good attendance Much interest was shown in the work

Mrs. Bertha Fisher, president of the union, appointed a relief committee consisting of a chairman and two members in each ward, as follows:

First ward, Mrs. Bertha Fisher, Mrs O. A Bussard and Mrs Frank Cowgill, Second ward, Mrs. Mary Jennings, Mrs. H. W Anderson and Miss Emma Mitchell; Third ward, Mrs. H. Grove, Mrs William Bonham and Miss Lida Ringer; Fourth ward, Mrs. J. J. Crawley, Mrs. J. A. Mer-



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chant and Mrs. C. B. McGuire.

The members of the committee are to serve three months, calling upon the sick, receiving new people coming to the city, aiding any in need of help and giving a friendly greeting to strangers.

Mrs Jeanette Lauthers-Hutchinson and Mrs. Anna B. Whiting, two new members of the board of education, were present and spoke briefly.

Mrs. N. L. Gebhardt, state superintendent of scientific temperance instruction, gave a report of the work as outlined by the national superintendent in the W. C. T. U. conven-



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tion held in Milwaukee recently. The magnitude and scope of the work of this department can scarcely be realized. Prizes for essays along these lines will be offered in the colleges and schools all over the state through this department The state officers feel that in placing Mrs. Gebhardt in the position of state superintendent of scientific temperance instruction, they have chosen well, as she is well fitted for the work. The W. C. T. U. feels that the public as well as the educators have not known as much as they should of the law making compulsory the teaching of scientific temperance in the public schools.

Mrs. A. O. Jennings, county president, state organizer and house-to-house worker, was present and gave a short outline of her plans for the coming year's work, when double the number of unions in the county, several young people's branches and 1,000 white ribboners in the W. C. T. U. will be enlisted at the time of the state convention next year.

The annual rummage sale will be held at the former local-option headquarters on west Church street, Friday and Saturday of this week. Any one having clothing or furniture may contribute it. Members of the union will be in charge.

MORRAL NEWS NOTES OF THE PAST WEEK

People Visiting the Village and in Vicinity.

Morral, O., Nov. 23.—[Special.]—Two classes of the F. B. Sunday-school will give an oyster supper, November 29, in the basement of the church. All are cordially invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Ritter have returned from a two-weeks visit with friends in Kansas City

Benjamin Harruff, of Marion, was the guest of friends here Sunday.

Peter Brady is very ill of typhoid fever at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Brady.

Mr. and Mrs. William Crawford, of Marion, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Berry, Sunday.

Howard Holland has returned after spending several months in Minnesota.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Landon, daughter, Marjorie, and son, Ola, were guests at the C. J. Schultz home Sunday.

Harry Crim, of Marion, was a guest at the G. W. Crim home Sunday.

Samuel Long, of Marion, was a guest of W. W. Miller Sunday.

Jesse McWherter and little son, of Marion, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Drake Sunday evening.

C. J. Schultz, Henry Belt, Mr. and Mrs George Lowe, N. J. Osbun, Mrs. Leo Berry, Mrs. E. Driscoll and Miss Beaulah Cottrell were Marion visitors Monday.

J. J. Pratte moved his family to Toledo, last week, where they will make their future home.

Robert Kerr, of Upper Sandusky, was a business visitor here Monday.

Charles Cottrell returned home, Saturday morning, after several months stay in Radisson, Canada.

Mrs. Arthur Wiley and Miss Orpha Mahaffey were Marion visitors Wednesday.

Charles Enz was a business visitor in Paulding county several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Irwin and family spent Sunday with friends at Upper Sandusky.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Alkire and George Baker spent Sunday at the James Bridge home near Harpster.

Miss Marjorie Landon was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Clifford Shepherd, of Marion, Saturday.

Miss Hattie Moore, of Marion, was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Moore, Saturday night and Sunday.

The Ladies' Aid society of the F. B. church met at the church parlors last Thursday.

Miss Hazel Lupton, who is attending business college in Marion, spent Saturday and Sunday with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Brady.

Miss Mary Fish has resumed her duties in the local schools after a week's absence.

Mrs O. Washburn, Mrs. B. B. Moore, Mrs. Marion Warner, Mrs. Blanche Brady, Mrs. William Beck, Mrs. L. Bosley, Mrs. Frank Washburn, Miss Gladys Hartman, Miss Ida Bosley, Miss Mildred Washburn, Miss Gladys Guthery, W. W. Morral, R. H. Heistand, John Buck, Dr. J. W. Jolley and John Washburn were among Marion visitors Saturday.

Fred Holycross, of Plain City, was the guest of friends here Sunday.

Mrs. George Martin, Mrs. P. O. Boganright, Ernest Boganright and Lewis Jurey attended the Grangers' convention in Columbus last week.

Nial Louthan, who has been working for John Buck, returned to his home at Massa. Friday

Mrs Emma Eishelman, of Tiffin, visited Mrs. G. W. Mahaffey Thursday.

Mrs. J. H. Bagwill was an Upper Sandusky visitor Friday.

L. A. Kennedy, of Harpster, was a business visitor here Thursday.

W. W. Morral spent several days in Chicago last week.

Mrs. C. W. Welsh spent several days last week as the guest of her mother, Mrs. Rebeccah Forrest, of Osceola, who has been dangerously ill.

Mrs. Sarah Heller, of Forrest, is visiting her daughters, Mrs. H. H. Hartman and Mrs. S. M. Warner.

Mrs. W. H. Horsch, Mrs. Rilda Moore, Mrs. E. Browne, Mrs S. M. Warner and S. E. Morral were Marion visitors Thursday.

Mrs. John Gibson and children, of near LaRue, visited Mrs. Rilda Moore from Saturday until Tuesday.

Miss Abigail Burnside, of near Nevada, spent last week with Mrs. W. W. Morral.

The Morral Knights of Pythias lodge conferred the rank of page on one candidates Wednesday night.

John Jolley, of Marion, was the guest of his brother, Dr J. W. Jolley, Sunday.

Clarence Jacobs, of Nevada, was the guest at the home of his uncle, Elmer Walterhouse, Sunday.

N. J. Osbun returned home, Saturday night, after a two-weeks business trip to Florida.

Mr. and Mrs A. B. Sloop and little son are visiting Mrs. Sloop's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Welsh.

Mr. and Mrs. Elza Newland and children, of near Harpster, were guests of Mrs S. C. Baker, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lowe spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Harry Nelson, near Brush Ridge.

Mr and Mrs. J. E. Handchy, of Elyria, spent Tuesday at the C. J. Schultz home.

TAX COMMISSION FIXES VALUATIONS

Holdings of Two Express Companies in the County.

County Auditor Jay Spaulding has received the personal property valuations of two local express companies from the state tax commission. The valuations for the various stations of the American Express company in the county are as follows:

Agosta, $180; Caledonia, $430; La Rue, $700; Marion, $7,160; Martel, $350; Morral, $290; Owens, $100; Prospect, $320.

The valuations for Wells Fargo & Company's express are as follows:

DeCliff, $230; Caledonia, $650; Green Camp, $410; Marion, $7,140; Martel, $170; Prospect, $380

Frequently we hear women say: "If I were only a man!" Cheer up, ladies; leap year isn't far off."

Faint heart has about as much show with the fair lady as a faint bank balance.

HISTORY SHOWS TRIFLES CAUSE OF WARFARE

Incident of Troubles Caused by a Teapot.

THOUSANDS OF MEN KILLED AS RESULT

A High Dignitary of Chinese Court Carries Teapot with Him on Travels—Is Set Upon by Robbers, Who Break This Indispensable Household Article. War Following.

The history of warfare contains numerous examples of conflicts that have originated through trifling causes, says the London Globe. For instance, Turkey in the past suffered greatly in a war with Venice. When the Venetian ambassador was asked by the Turkish grand vizier to ratify a treaty by swearing in the Moslem fashion upon his beard and the beard of the prophet he declined, because, as he said, "the Venetians wear no beards."

This remark was too much for the Turk, who retorted angrily, "Nor do monkeys!"—an exclamation which caused the other to tear up the treaty and retire from the conference. The sequel was a sanguinary conflict in which fell 30,000 Christians and four times that number of Turks.

But the Turks were not the only ones to use blows instead of arguments on the slightest provocation. The emperors of China have ever been famous in this direction, the record instance being a war 250 years ago which began through the smashing of a teapot. This indispensable household article was looked upon by its owner, a high dignitary of the court, as a priceless treasure, and consequently it accompanied the great man on his journeys.

It so happened that when he was traveling through the lawless provinese in the northwes' of China some of his retinue were intercepted by a band of robbers, who found the teapot among the baggage and indignantly flung it to the ground and broke it. The matter was reported to the emperor, who was so indignant at his favorite's loss that he sent out a punitive torce and a long war began which resulted in the death of 500,000 men.

A conflict over a teapot, even a valuable one, seems almost out of the range of possibility until one recalls that a bucket was once the innocent cause of a terrible war. Nine hundred years ago a party of soldiers of Modena stole a bucket, apparently as a practical joke, from a public well in Bologna and refused to restore it. Fights thereupon took place between the soldiers of the rival states and started a war which devastated a large part of Europe.

The cash value of that bucket was only a few shillings, but wars have often been waged concerning things that represented little from a monetary point of view. An excellent illustration is afforded by Algeria, which came into the possession of France through a disagreement over a petty debt. The bey of Algiers demanded immediate payment through the French consul, who asked for time to pay, and in reply was beaten and thrown into prison.

A couple of days later a conflict was begun that continued for twenty years, during which time more than half a million lives were sacrificed. Such a calamity was surely unnecessary for so paltry a cause, and the same remark is equally applicable to other wars.

In 1879 the Transvaal was declared a crown colony, and the salaries of officials, both Dutch and British, were cut down Among the number so treated was a certain Paul Kruger, whose salary was reduced by £50 per annum. The loss of the money annoyed the Dutchman, who raised the standard of revolt. As a consequence there followed the Majuba hill fight, years of agitation, the Jameson raid, and finally the great war, which cost Britain £220,000,000 and the lives of 25,000 of her sons.

And equally tiny sparks have kindled many other conflagrations. The borrowing of a tobacco pipe and its retention caused civil war in the Pamirs and Afghanistan, while the stealing of a lace petticoat belonging to a Castile lady by a Moor led to a long conflict. The war between Sweden and Poland, which began in 1654, arose through a supposed slight.

The king of Sweden suddenly discovered in a despatch that his name and titles were followed by only two etceteras, while the king of Poland was given three; result, declaration of war. More disastrous in its sequel was the throwing of a small stone by a Huguenot child at the Duke of Guise, for it was the immediate cause of the massacre of Vassy and of the thirty years war that followed it.

It will thus be seen that no article is to worthless or a subject too trivial for the purpose of unloosening the dogs of war—not even the spilling of water. Mrs. Masham, the favorite lady in waiting to Queen Anne, was carrying a glass of water to her royal mistress when she collided with the Marquis de Torey, on whose clothes the water was spilled.

The marquis, failing to get an apology, looked upon it as an insult both to himself and his country. The bad feeling engendered spread to the courts and other subjects were dragged into the dispute, which was not settled without the intervention of the great Duke of Marlborough and his brilliant campaigns.

But the most curious war ever waged over a little matter occurred in the sixteenth century. It was carried on single handed for about six years between a bankrupt grocer of Berlin and the elector of Saxony. The immediate cause of the quarrel was the arresting of two of the tradesman's horses in the elector's territory, he being a subject of the elector of Brandenburg.

Failing to get redress, he adopted what was then a perfectly legal expedient and declared formal war on the realm of Saxony. The declaration was accepted in due form and the war began. The grocer burned farms and even villages, employed mercenaries after the fashion of the times and made himself the terror of the district.

He finally was influenced to stop hostilities by Luther, but was betrayed into a further act of hostility by treachery, and being captured, suffered death on the wheel.

CRISSINGER HOME SCENE OF GATHERING

An Old-Fashioned Taffy Pulling Is Enjoyed.

Martel, O., Nov. 23.—[Special]. Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Crissinger had an oldfashioned Taffy pulling at their home last Friday evening. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Seckel, of Caledonia; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cyphers, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Treiz, Miss Lola Lindsey and Robert Williams.

Miss Clara Heileman is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Homer Stone, at Delaware.

Mrs. Ella Duth, of Dexter, Michigan, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Shanock and family, of Caledonia.

The Misses Edith and Inez Rice, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bending and family, Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Anna Rutherford is the guest of relatives in Mansfield.

The second number on the lecture course was held at the M. E. church, last Thursday evening. Dr. Culp's talk "uncrowned kings," was very interesting and entertaining, and was much appreciated.

Mr. and Mrs. William Rutherford and daughter, Marjorie, were the guests of Mrs. Jane Morton, of Climax, Sunday.

Mrs. Maud Cyphers was a Bucyrus visitor, Friday.

Mrs. George Sharrock and Mrs. W. F. Baldinger were Marion visitors, Tuesday

Thadd crissinger was a business visitor in Dayton this week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Lindsey entertained for dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Seckel, of Calendonia, and Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Crissinger and children.

Mr. E. Boyles, of Indianapolis, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Rutherford last week.

George Hunt and J. G. Wilkins, of Mingo, were the guests of the former's son, Wilfred Wilkins, Sunday.

Mr and Mrs. William Whitemaier were Marion visitors, Friday.

The Misses Lola Linsdy and Mary Pace were Caledonia visitors, Tuesday.

The monthly meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held at the home of Mrs. Lewis Spiece, Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Alcade Williams is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. John Harrison, of Caledonia, this week.

Mrs. George Sharrock was hostess to the members of the Ladies' Aid society, of the M. E. church, at her home, Wednesday. The attendance was large. The next meeting will be held next Wednesday at Mrs. Catherine Winemiller's.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Garber, of Caledonia, moved their household effects in the Benchley residence, last week.

Ward Pace was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Spiece, west of town, Saturday and Sunday.

Vann Watts was a Galion visitor Wednesday.

Ivan Downs was a Marion visitor, Monday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Steadman, of New Winchester, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. John Burton, this week.

William Burton was a visitor at Fulton, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Baker were the guests of Mrs. Fred Black and family at Climax, Sunday.

Mrs. John Neff and daughter, Lena, were Marion visitors, Saturday.

Mrs. Charles Crock and family, of Galion, were the guests of relatives here this week.

Homer Clark was a Caledonia visitor, Tuesday.

Mrs. May McCabe, of Caledonia, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Garver and family, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Cassie Gaudrel of Galion, was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lesher, last week.

Mr. Lee and George Kohler were Galion visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Harry Huber, of Galion, was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Pfirch, last week.

CITY IN BRIEF.

Released from Jail — Millard Rhodebeck, who has been in jail for the past three weeks on a charge of disposing of property under chattel mortgage, was discharged Wednesday. The matter was settled.

A man seldom makes good when he attempts to show off before his children or his enemies.

MODERN BROTHERHOOD TRANSACTS BUSINESS

J. H. Miller Delivers an Address to the Members.

SOME TIME GIVEN TO CARDS AND DANCING

The Red Men Hold First Nomination of Officers — Arrangements Are Made for an Oyster Supper To Be Held in the Near Future—Notes Gathered in Secret Society Circles.

A largely-attended meeting of the Modern Brotherhood was held in the hall of the order, Tuesday evening, at which time J. H. Miller, of Lima, one of the board of directors gave a lecture relative to the rates of the order being increased. Following the business session refreshments were served and the remainder of the evening was passed with cards and dancing.

The next meeting of the order will be held in one week.

The first nomination of officers was held at the regular meeting of the Red Men, Tuesday evening Aside from the routine business arrangements were made for an oyster supper and dance to be held next Monday evening. The next regular meeting will be held in one week.

Paramount Council, No 37, Daughters of America, met in regular session, Tuesday evening, with a fair attendance. The second nomination of officers was held. It was also announced that Mrs. Leo Staley, who was elected deputy state councillor of Paramount council at the last meeting, had been appointed state councillor by Mrs. Carrie I Crooks. Arrangements were made for the annual Thanksgiving services to be held December 3. It had been planned to hold the services, November 26, but owing to sickness it was necessary to postpone them. After the business, a social session was enjoyed and in a spelling contest. Mrs. Samah Carder won the prize. Refreshments were served The next meeting will be held December 5, at which time the officers will be elected.

A ladies' social was given by the Elks in their hall on east Center street, Tuesday night, the attendance numbering about 150. Progressive pedro was played throughout the evening. The first prize-winners were Mrs. Charles C. Fye and Mr Alfred T. Smith. Misses Carmen Blow and Gaenelle Shaw rendered beautiful vocal selections. The committee on arrangements was composed of Charles C. Fye, Harry E. Ohls and Charles L. Murphy.

An election was held and final arrangements made for the sale and dance December 6 and 7, Tuesday night, at a regular meeting of Marion Temple, No. 381, Pythian Sisters The election resulted as follows:

Mrs. Z. B. Gunder, excellent chief Miss Gertrude Brewer, exceller senior; Mrs. J. W. Hungate, exceller junior; Mrs. H. E. Klinefelter, manager; Mrs. E. E. Smith, protector Miss Verna Lawrence, outer guard Miss Hortense Fies, mistress of finance; Mrs. John E. Rush, mistress of records and correspondence; Mr W. G. Lucas, pianist; Mrs. U. Lawrence, assistant pianist; Mrs. O. Bratton, trustee; S. R. Rebe drill master; Mrs. J. S. Lunger, delegate to the grand lodge convention to be held in June; Mrs E. N. U capher, alternate.

The meeting was well attended

The golden rule degree was conferred on four attendants and the second nomination of officers was held at a well-attended meeting Mipah Encampment, No. 50, I. O. O. F., Tuesday night. The election will be held at the next regular meeting which will be held the first Tuesday night in December.

YOUNG PEOPLE ARE JOINED IN MARRIAGE

Miss Mary Rose Nicoll and Lemoyne Canouse.

LaRue, O., Nov. 22.—[Special.]—Announcements were received here, Tuesday, of the marriage of Mr. Lemoyne Canouse, of three miles east of LaRue, to Miss Mary Rose Nicoll, of Chicago, which was celebrated at the home of the bride's parents, November 19, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Mr. Dunlus.

The bride is a daughter of Mr and Mrs. John Nicoll of Chicago is a graduate of the University Chicago, is talented and of charming personality. The groom is a son Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Canouse He is a graduate of the LaRue High school the preparatory college at Ohio and of the Rush Medical college Chicago, and is identified, in a professional capacity with the health department of Chicago. They make their home in Chicago

Candidate for Clerk.

Wednesday's State Journal says that Henry E. Owen, formerly secretary of the local Y. M. C. A. superintendent of the Columbus workhouse, is the leading candidate for city clerk of Columbus. He has the support of five of the eight republican councilmen.

By the time a man knows something worth telling he is usually old enough to keep his mouth shut

Fame and fortune await the man who can paint a portrait of a woman to look as she thinks she looks.

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ETHEL VAN LEAR IS VICTIM OF OUTRAGE

Arch Manley in Jail To Answer Grave Charge.

GIRL OVERCOME AND RAVISHED IN DARKNESS

Little Miss Van Lear Identifies Her Assailant — Victim Is Between Fourteen and Fifteen Years of Age and Is on Way Home from Work When She Is Assaulted.

Ethel Van Lear, who will be fifteen in April, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs Thomas Van Lear, who reside a short distance north of the Pennsylvania crossing, on the extension of north Main street, was brutally assaulted and ravished shortly after 6 o'clock Wednesday evening, and as a result Arch Manley is confined in the county jail charged with the assault.

The girl, while of tender years, moved to this city from Prospect a little more than six weeks ago. Her father is employed in one of the quarries, and the girl has been working at the shoe factory. It has been the custom of the girl's father to meet her at the Pennsylvania crossing which is the closest stop to her home, and, at times, he walks as far as Fairground street. Wednesday evening the girl's father did not reach home in time to meet her. The girl left the car at her usual stop, and was walking down the track, humming a tune, when she was seized from the rear.

Dragged into Field.

The girl's assailant covered her mouth with one of his hands, and, picking her up, carried her into a triangular field to the west of the C., M. & B., just north of the Pennsylvania tracks, where he accomplished his purpose. The girl, who left her work at the shoe factory, boarded the six-o'clock car to go home. After her assailant picked her up, the girl started to scream for help, but when her assailant drew a knife from his pocket and threatened to cut her throat if she did not keep still, she feared for her life, and her cries for help ceased in fear the threats of the man would be carried out.

After the assault, the man climbed a fence and made his way to the Pennsylvania tracks. The girl managed to get up and make her way home On entering the house she collapsed into the arms of her father, and later related the story of what had transpired.

Scene of Outrage.

The dinner pail of the girl was found about twenty-seven steps west of the interurban tracks, and about twice this distance the grass was found to be matted down.

Immediately after the assault, the father of the girl notified the police and Sheriff Stark. He secured a description of the man from his daughter and gave it to the officers.

The girl's father stopped the car on its return from Bucyrus and secured a description and the name of the man who left the car at the crossing. This description corresponded with that of Arch Manley, who resides at No. 806 north Main street, being a boarder at the home of Mrs. Myrtle Boyd, and this being the name of the man given the officers by the conductor of the car

Manley Is Arrested.

About 9 o'clock Sheriff Stark and Acting Captain Thompson went to the boarding-house of Manley and placed him under arrest. He was taken to the county jail, where he was later identified by the Van Lear girl as the man who assaulted her. The girl was then taken to the office of Dr. A. M. Crane for examination. Dr. R. C. M. Lewis was called in to assist in the examination, and it was disclosed that she had been ravished.

After his arrest, Manley claimed that he reached his home shortly after 6 o'clock, and that he was innocent of the charge against him. When seen at jail Thursday, Manley stated that he did not see the girl board the car and that he rode on the back platform of the car. He claims he got off the car just before it stopped for the Pennsylvania tracks and turned south, and never saw the girl get off the car. He also states that he never knew the girl, and never saw her until she appeared at the jail to identify him.

Manley Has Bad Record.

When placed under arrest, Manley was very nervous and, according to his own statement, he slept very little Wednesday night and has been worrying over the charge against him.

Manley was sent to the penitentiary for horse stealing, from this county, June 1, 1906, and served his sentence of four years for his crime. He appears to realize the seriousness of the charge against him, but claims he is innocent of the crime.

The father of the girl was almost crazed as a result of the assault, but assisted in tracing down the alleged assailant. He stated Thursday morning, that he did not care to speak of the outrage, but was of the one that the guilty man would be severely punished. He slept but little during the night, as did the girl as the result of the assault. While she was not able to go to work, next Monday, the girl was getting along very well. She is slightly injured as a result of assault, but will be able to resume her work at the shoe room within a few days.

Following the assault, Prosecuting Attorney C. L. Justice accompanied Sheriff Stark to the home of the girl and secured her statement relative to the assault. On advice of the prosecutor, the girl refused to be interviewed, and the father refused to tell any of the circumstances He appeared Thursday before Justice Charles H. Conley and swore out a warrant against Manley accusing him of having ravished his daughter.

Before Justice.

Arch Manley was arraigned before Justice Conley Thursday afternoon on a charge of assault. He entered a plea of not guilty and was held for a hearing under a bond of $2,000 which he was unable to furnish. He was sent back to jail. His preliminary hearing was set for November 29.

GREEN CAMP ITEMS OF SOME INTEREST

Little Happenings During Past Few Days.

Green Camp, O., Nov. 23.—[Special.]—Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Johnston, of Barberton, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Johnston.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Debolt spent a few days of last week with Richwood relatives.

Mr and Mrs Dal Deal, of Meeker, spent Sunday with Mrs Minnie Myers.

Rev. J. A. Sutton, of LaRue, preached from the Baptist pulpit Sunday morning, Rev. Mr. Hoyt being in revival work at LaRue.

Mr. and Mrs. William Slack and son, of Marion, and Wellie Slack, of Ashley, were guests of Mrs. A. L. Slack and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Lanius, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Keppler, of Marion, spent a day this week with Mr. Keppler's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Kirts, of Newman's, entertained Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Bolander and daughter, Audrey; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Walker, of Marion; Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Gast, of Prospect, and Miss Dora Wynn, of Forest, at dinner last Sunday.

Rev. J. W. Wynn, who is holding revival service at Carpenter, is the guest of his mother for a few days

The married People's class of the M. E Sunday-school enjoyed the monthly meeting at the country home of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Kirts on the Hazen pike last Wednesday evening. A large number was present and spent the hours in music, games and social chat.

Mr. and Mrs. Chard Jerew accompanied by Dr. J. G. McNamara took their four-year-old son, Wolford, to Columbus, Sunday, where he was operated on, Monday, for an affection of the nose and throat.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Watts, of Grunwich, was the guest of their son, Harry, over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Flach and Mr and Mrs John Flach were Columbus visitors Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Ward and Baby, of Marion, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Martin Ward.

Mr and Mrs. Roy Black and Mrs. Stephen Morgan were guests of J J Black, last Thursday.

Fenton Fish, of Hillsdale, Michigan, was called home this week by the death of his nephew, Arthur Morgan.

Mr. and Mrs. Job Pettit left last week for Toledo, where they will spend the winter with their daughters

FARMER DUELISTS ARE NOW FRIENDS

Scioto Marsh Enemies Become Friendly in Jail.

Kenton, O., Nov 23.—William Yazel and Michael Hickman today had their photograph taken together to convince everybody that they now are friends.

The two men are farmers on the Scioto marsh. About six weeks ago they tought the first regulation duel that has been held in Ohio in many years. They had had a quarrel of several years standing, and the two men stood off at twenty paces and fired pointblank with shotguns. Both fell wounded, one in the shoulder, the other in the hip

Both were arrested. Several weeks in cells side by side cooled their wrath and then led to mutual explanations that were entirely satisfactory Both were allowed to plead guilty and when they declared in court this week that they had become friends, they were freed.

THE ANNIVERSARIES OF WEDDING AND BIRTH

Celebrated by Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Hoch, of Espyville.

The fifty-eighth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Hoch, of Espyville, and the seventy-eighth birthday of the latter were celebrated at the Hoch home, Wednesday. Many relatives and friends attended the event as invited guests.

Mr. Hoch is eighty-six years old and hale and hearty Mrs. Hoch is also enjoying good health. They were married at Tiffin, and have resided at Espyville about forty years. Before moving to Espyville, Mr. Hoch was in the carriage manufacturing business in this city. They have one son, Fred Hoch, of Espyville, and one grandchild, Alvin Crane, son of Dr. and Mrs A. M. Crane, of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoch are both natives of Pennsylvania. They are members of St. Paul's Episcopal church in this city

Many a man who claims to be self made has a wife who superintended the job

You can't bet on the sincerity of a man's enthusiasm unless he is financially interested

BIDS ARE RECEIVED FOR FIRE APPARATUS

Director of Public Safety Opens the Bids.

SIX BIDDERS ARE AFTER THE CONTRACT

Apparatus Is To Be Used in the New Fire Station Which Is To Be Erected in the Near Future. Board of Control Held a Meeting Thursday Afternoon.

Six bids for furnishing the motor-fire apparatus to be used when the new central fire station is erected in this city, were opened by James A. Knapp, director of public service, with his clerk, C. M Tobin, at noon Thursday.

That afternoon, the members of the board of control met in the council chamber and heard the arguments of the various representatives of the companies making bids for furnishing the apparatus. The contract will be let when the matter has been fully gone over. The bids are made on furnishing the pumping engine, the combination wagon and a chief's car, and are listed according to the specifications of the company furnishing the apparatus or those of the city.

The Seagrave company, of Columbus, made a bid of $5,500 for a combination wagon according to the specifications of the city and the same amount if furnished according to the specifications of the company.

The American LaFrance company of Elmira, New York, made a bid of $8,500 for a pumping engine on either the specifications of the city or the company, and $6,000 for the combination wagon on either the specifications of the city or the company.

The Knox Auto company, of Springfield, Massachusetts, made a bid of $9,350 for the pumping engine, $6,450 for the combination wagon and $5,450 for the chief's car all according to the specifications of the city. The F. E. Avery Motor Car company, of Columbus, made a bid of $3,400 for furnishing a chief's car on the city's specifications. The Robinson Fire Apparatus Manufacturing company, of St. Louis, Missouri, made a bid of $8,500 for a pumping engine, $6,450 for a combination wagon, and $3,500 for a chief's car on the specifications of the city.

The Nott company, of Minneapolis, Minnesota, made a bid of $10,000 for furnishing a combination wagon on the specifications of the city.

The sum of $15,000 was appropriated for purchasing the apparatus.

MAY HAVE PLANNED TO OPEN GENERAL STORE

Jim Scavedo Possibly Had Some Such Intention,

JUDGING BY CONTENTS DISCOVERED IN TRUNK

When Arrested for Malicious Destruction of Property, His Trunk Is Examined and Found To Contain Perfume, Shoes, Lace Curtains and Wearing Apparel.

Jim Scavedo, alias Jim Lamonica, was arrested Wednesday by Acting Captain Thompson and Erie Detective Ellsworth, and is being held at the city prison on a charge of malicious destruction of property, while the Erie detective is making an investigation and a more serious charge may be placed against him.

Scavedo was arrested on a warrant issued on the affidavit of Joseph Garilo, who claimed that Scavedo had thrown stones against the doors and through the windows of his home, had stolen the top from his stove and caused him annoyance at frequent times. Garifo furnished information that Scavedo had a trunk containing shoes and other property which was believed to have been stolen. As he worked at the Erie transfer-house and was recently caught in the act of stealing a pair of shoes, it was the opinion of the Erie detective that he had more stolen property.

After Scavedo was placed under arrest, the officers went to his trunk at his boarding place. They searched the trunk and found two bottles of perfume, four boxes of talcum powder, a box containing pearl-handled pocket knives, a water bag, several boxes of cartridges, lace curtains, two pairs of shoes and some ladies' wearing apparel. This property was taken to police headquarters and a further investigation is being made.

REV. WALTER A. KING ARRIVES IN THE CITY

New Pastor of the Trinity Baptist Church.

Rev. Walter A. King, the new pastor of the Trinity Baptist church, arrived here with his family from Martin's Ferry, Wednesday evening Rev. Mr. and Mrs. King are stopping with members of the church while preparing their new home in the parsonage on south State street.

Rev. Mr. King began his pastorate at the local church three weeks ago, succeeding Rev. J. P. Currin. He will occupy the pulpit at both services Sunday and will engage actively in his new work immediately.

Slender heels are less in evidence.

MRS. HENRY RINGERT ENTERTAINS SOCIETY

Gathering of Women of the Lutheran Church.

Waldo, O., Nov. 23.—[Special.]—Mrs. Henry Ringert entertained the Ladies' Aid society of the Lutheran church at her home north of town Wednesday.

The members of the Ladies' Aid society of the reformed church were guests, Wednesday afternoon of Mrs. A. Sweetland.

A union Thanksgiving service will be held, Thursday morning at 10 o'clock, at the M. E. church. Rev. George Schmidt pastor of the Reformed church and Rev. George Parkin will be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Rutter, of Delaware, were guests Thursday of their daughter, Mrs. Charles McKinsey.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Michels were guests of Prospect friends Friday.

Mrs. Charles Bailer, of Delaware, has returned home after a visit of several days with Mrs. Joseph Bland and other Waldo friends.

Miss Bertha Augenstine was the guest of Marion friends Tuesday.

David Bower was in Columbus, Thursday in attendance at the Bankers' association meeting.

Mrs. D. E. Selanders was a Marion visitor Saturday.

Misses Dessa Marie Benedict and Lucile Benedict spent Saturday in Marion.

William Oborn was in Cleveland from Saturday until Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Anthony and children were guests of Marion friends Saturday.

Miss Geneva Walker, of Marion, was the guest Saturday of her sister, Miss Genfvieve Walker.

Mrs. Thomas Wyatt and daughter Miss Jessie Wyatt, spent Saturday in Marion.

Miss Grace Leuellen and Miss Zelda Moyer were Marion visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnathan Redd, of Marion, were guests, Sunday, of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Klingle.

Mr. S. S. Simpson spent Saturday in Marion.

Walter Klingle was a Marion visitor, Saturday.

Mrs. Williams Michels was a Marion visitor Wednesday.

The schools will close Wednesday with appropriate exercises and will remain closed until Monday after Thanksgiving.

The ladies of the Rebekah lodge of this place will give an entertainment and supper at the band hall, Saturday evening, of this week. The program will consist of a unique entertainment and also of vocal and instrumental music and recitations

REAL ESTATE.

Anna Beck to Freddie Beck, two lots in Marion $1,000.

Francis M. Baldwin, by trustee, to Charles Hofstetter, two lots in Marion $7,401.

S. H. Britton to J. W. Schwaderer, part of a lot in Marion $3,500.

John W. Bowler, by administrator, to Johanna Bowler, one lot in Marion $1,000.

Bell Wheat to Charles Hofstetter, part of two lots in Marion $2,000.

Mary J. Barringer to Josephine C. Ochs, part of a lot in Marion $4,500.

Nellie F. Gill, by administrator, to J. W. Hildreth, a lot in Marion $700.

Edward Huber, by executors to W. T. Jones, three lots in Marion $750.

Martha Holst to John K. Peters, a lot in Marion one dollar.

L. W. Ireland and others to Ellery I. Ireland, 124 acres in Tully township $12,916.67.

L. W. Ireland and others to Hollis A. Cress, twenty acres in Tully township $1,605.

Ellery J Ireland to Howard A. Ward, seven acres in Claridon township $2,950.

Mary A. Knickle to Silas Ulcapher part of two lots in Marion, one dollar.

John F. Lust to Ella Sontag, one lot in Marion $157

S. A. Lawrence to Charles D. Schaffner, a lot in Marion $1,260.

E. S. Moon to Marcus Redman, two lots in Marion, one dollar.

W. T. Jones to Joseph Kolb, a lot in Marion $300.

W. T. Jones to Eva N. Marshall, a lot in Marion $1,850.

J. W. Jacoby to E. S. Moon, a lot in Marion $500.

Marcus Redman to E. S Moon, a lot in Marion one dollar.

John R. Smith, by sheriff, to William H. Smith, 179 acres in Waldo township $16,120

William H. Smith to Arthur M. Smith, 89 acres in Waldo township $8,250.

W. L. Styer to Kate Styer, part of a lot in Marion $1,000.

E. M. Williams to John W. Clark, 44 acres in Montgomery township $2,000.

Lavinia Shupp to C. D. Schaffner, part of a lot in Marion one dollar.

Fred W. Peters to Charles Ried, a lot in Marion $215.

Walter D. Ward to John K. Peters and others, part of a lot in Marion $400.

Charles A. Curtis to Cora E Springer, part of a lot in Marion $2,500.

Carmi F. Church to Cora R. Tedrow, a lot in Marion $2,000.

The John Evans company to Sarah Cook, a lot in Marion $700.

The Marion Real Estate company to James W. Hildreth, part of three lots in Marion $3,000.

H. S. Cruikshank to U. F. Hildebrand, part of a lot in Prospect $6,000.

Two shades of blue, one very much lighter, are used on linen tailored suits.

THE THURSDAY CLUB ENJOYS AN EVENING

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Johnston Host and Hostess.

LARUE PEOPLE TO LEAVE FOR FLORIDA

Mrs. Elizabeth Long Leaves for Lima To Remain During Winter—Mrs. Belle Thew Is Made a Deputy Matron of the Order of Eastern Star—LaRue News.

LaRue, O., Nov. 23.—[Special.]—The ladies of the Thursday club entertained their husbands at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Johnston, Monday evening, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Crouley, who will leave for Daytona, Florida, soon. The time was given to progressive games. A fine luncheon was served by the ladies. Those present besides the guests of honor, were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Topliff, Mr. and Mrs Burle Hune, Mr. and Mrs George Raub, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Tannyhill, Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Guthery, Mr. and Mrs. F. K. Stafford, Dr. and Mrs. Finley Van Arsdale, Mr. and Mrs. William Drake, Dr. and Mrs. K. A. Bosworth, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Slauser, of Marion.

Mrs. Elizabeth Long, of west of town, has gone to Lima, to spend the winter with her son, B. F. Long and family

The Rebekahs held an interesting meeting in the hall, Tuesday evening.

Fred Miller, Oliver Dillsaver and Lon Aller attended a Knights of Pythias lodge meeting at Mt. Victory, Thursday evening. LaRue lodge was to give the work and the county convention was to be held at that place, but on account of inclement weather the work and convention was postponed.

The honor of deputy matron of the Order of the Eastern Star has been conferred on Mrs. Belle Thew, of this village, and a member of Mary Lenox chapter, by the grand matron of Ohio for district No. 11. This district comprises four counties, Delaware, Marion, Union and Logan.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Johnson went to Dayton, Saturday of last week to remain a week as guests of the latter's sister, Mrs. Henry Schafler and brother, Leonard Whitman.

W. E. Thew was a Columbus visitor Tuesday.

Milo Taylor, of Ashtabula, a former resident and cashier of the La Rue bank, is in the village visiting friends and relatives.

Otis Boyd was an Agosta visitor Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lingo, of Hepburn, were the guests of the former's brother, Edward Lingo, and family, Wednesday.

Mrs. B. A. Walters, of Marion, is visiting his sister, Mrs. A. J. Thomasson.

Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] I. Clements, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Clements and son, Irvin Horton, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Burbaugh [illegible] daughter, Dorotha; Miss Louise [illegible] and Mr. Roy Clements were entertained at the Joseph Hastings home north of town Tuesday evening.

Mrs. G. C. Allinger, Mrs. Minerva Campbell, Mrs. E. J. Howser, Mrs. James Bonner and Mrs. N. Sitritt were Marion visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Rhodes, of Meeker, were guests of Miss Sallie Hastings Thursday.

William Tracey, of Marion, was a guest at the C H Topliff home Monday and Tuesday of this week.

Frank Moore and Newton Davis were Marion visitors Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. George Rosebrook and children, Carrie and Bernard, were Marion visitors and attended the confirmation at the Catholic church Sunday The two children were confirmed.

George Johnson, who has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Merlyn Bailey, of Marion, for a week, returned home Wednesday.

Joel Kemper, an aged resident of this vallage, who has been ill for two years, had the misfortune of falling and severely bruising himself recently.

Miss Verne Millisor is visiting at the J. W. Frye home in Marion this week.

Charles Allen has purchased the hotel and restaurant owned by George Manley. He expects to take possession at once.

Mr. and Mrs. O F. Chandler, of Marion, returned home Wednesday, after a few day's visit at the C. E. Kurtz home south of town.

Mrs. Aden Harper, of near Richwood, was a guest at the Frank Noggle home Tuesday.

Miss Katherine McMorran of St. Paris, who has been spending this fall and winter with Mrs. Jermiah Jones, went to Wooster, Tuesday to visit Miss Flora Jones who is attending school.

George and Earl Bolander and Charles McDaniel of Marion, spent from Wednesday until Friday as guests of Harmon Schottle, north of town.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hartle and children, Mr. and Mrs Henry Burbaugh and Mr and Mrs. Edward Burbaugh were entertained at the J. C. Burbaugh home south of town, Monday evening

Mirle Lingo and Cleo Holliday and Miss Lena Johnson and Vilas Delander were entertained at the John Scranton home near De Cliff, Sunday.

A special Thanksgiving program is being arranged for the LaRue public schools for next Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tobias, Mr and Mrs. Edward Prettyman, of Agosta, were guests at the W. J. Clark home.

Colonel Fisher, of Bucyrus, and J. E. Phillips of Marion, visited and hunted from Tuesday until Thursday at the Joseph Hastings home north of town.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Holt are keeping house for Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Holt, south of town, for a few weeks, while the latter are visiting relatives at Andover.

Rev. E. E. McCannon, of Delaware, gave a very instructive and interesting sermon in the M. E. church Sunday evening.

Mrs. John Guthery was a Marion shopper Monday.

Auditor and Mrs. Jay Spaulding spent the latter part of the week as guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Tannyhill. They were also entertained at dinner at the John Alt home Sunday.

Miss Bess Mills, Miss Hattie Myers, Miss Annabel Myers and Miss Helen Mills were Columbus visitors Saturday.

Mrs. M. L. Lauther of west of town, was in Marion, Monday, to attend the funeral of her sister, Mrs. K. A. Campbell.

J. E. Cairns, of Mansfield, was a La Rue caller, Friday.

Mrs. H. W. Corbin, of Waldo, while visiting her son, J. M Corbin, south of La Rue became ill very suddenly of heart trouble. It is believed she will recover.

TWO YOUNG BOYS LEAVE THEIR HOMES

But Are Soon Apprehended and Brought Back to City.

Clarence Baldauf, aged fifteen, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Baldauf, of Vine street, and Carl Marble, aged thirteen, son of Mr. and Mrs William A. Marble, of Willow street, ran away from their homes, late Wednesday afternoon, because they had been punished for disobedience

Thursday morning, John Baldauf, the lathe of the fifteen-year-old lad, reported their disappearance to the police. The boys were located near Green Camp, where they remained over night, having secured lodging from the marshal. Early Thursday, when the marshal threatened to bring them back to Marion, the youngsters eluded the village marshal and started to walk south. Each had a rifle and they were shooting birds when overtaken by Mr. Baldauf. They were brought back home.

Juvenile Judge W. S. Spencer was informed of the boys' conduct and recommended that both of them be given a good whipping.

A FATHER COMES TO CITY AFTER DAUGHTER

Katherine Schmitz Leaves Hoosier Home to Visit Here.

AFTER TIME SHE FALLS AMONG EVIL COMPANIONS

So Her Sister Reports to Her Father, Who Is a Minister of the Gospel. He Comes Here and Invokes the Aid of Police—Daughter Is Found and Agrees To Return Home.

Rev. Mr. Schmitz of Portland, Indiana, called at police headquarters Wednesday afternoon to seek the assistance of Chief Klinefelter in recovering his daughter, Katherine Schmitz. According to the story of Rev. Mr. Schmitz, the girl left home May 1, to come to Marion to help her sister clean house. Her sister, who resides at No. 501, north Main street, received the girl at her home and kept her for some time

The girl later went to work at the Susquehanna silk mills, and while working there fell into bad company. She staid out late at nights, and the sister, with whom she lived, informed her parents. Later the girl left her sister and went to the Stevens' home on north Main street She later went to work for a relative of the family in Columbus, but taking sick, returned to Marion. On report that the girl was not keeping company with the best of boys, her parents were notified, and the father came after her. The girl seemed to be taking unusual liberties and was staying at the Stevens' home against the wishes of Mrs. Stevens

When Chief Klinefelter called at the Stevens' home for the girl, Wednesday afternoon, she was told by Mrs. Stevens to pack her belongings and leave. The chief escorted the girl to police headquarters, where she met her father. The girl broke down upon sight of her father, and after a lengthy talk, decided to return home with him.

The girl stated that the reason she left home was because her parents did not approve of her going to shows, dances and other places of entertainment. According to the girl's own story she was not living the right life after leaving her sister's home. She was an attractive girl of eighteen years and promised to return to the parental roof and do better in the future.

The father and daughter left for home Wednesday night being accompanied to the station by Chief Klinefelter.

When too busy to bandage a small cut on the end of a finger, put a bit of clean linen upon it, and then put on a thimble.

You can form a pretty good idea of what a man hasn't done by the things he is going to do.

RATES OF TAXATION IN CITY AND COUNTY

Tax Commission and County Auditor Submit Figures.

DECREASES MADE IN VARIOUS PLACES

A Number of County Funds Are Cut. The Rate Exceeds One Per Cent. in Some Instances So That Sinking Funds May Be Met—The Figures Given.

Auditor Jay Spaulding and the tax commission have just completed a very big task, that of fixing the tax rate for the city and county for the coming year.

The work of the auditor and commission was complicated by the necessity to meet the provisions of the Smith one-per-cent. law, and the work required a great deal of careful computation that all figures might be fair to the taxpayers in the various sections of the county.

It was necessary to exceed the one-per-cent. tax rate in some instances because of the sinking funds to be taken care of during the year, and wherever the rate is in excess of one per cent. it is due to the sinking fund.

The rate for Marion is somewhat above one per cent., for the reason that Marion corporation has a sinking fund of $35,000 to be looked after. The city also has a school sinking fund of $15,713, the city's portion of the county sinking fund is $2,621 and the bill for Marion ditches amounts to $11,097.

As to the county, it was necessary to cut a number of county estimates. The sum of $500 was trimmed from the estimate for county purposes and the county will have $154,358.91 with which to meet its expenses. The poor fund has been cut from $17,800 to $10,173.91. The heavy cut in this fund is due to the fact that it will be relieved by a contribution of $6,200 from the liquor tax. The estimate for the children's home was cut $200; leaving $8,400 for that purpose. The entire building fund was cut out.

It was necessary to leave estimates for bridges, soldiers' relief, the blind and elections alone. The pike fund was trimmed $5,000, leaving $14,500 for pikes, while the judicial fund was cut $1,000, leaving an allowance of $4,000 which which to meet the expense of juries and witnesses during the coming year.

The following figures give the tax rate in mills and fractions for the years 1911 and 1910, the first figures being those for 1911 in each case and the second those of 1910:

Big Island, 5.840-18.4.

Big Island and New Bloomington school district, 6.800-20.4.

Bowling Green, 6.280-19.4.

Bowling Green and LaRue school district, 9.007-26.9.

Claridon, 5.364-17.8.

Caledonia corporation, 12.860-38.3.

Caledonia school district, 10.660-29.8.

Grand, 7.316-17.8.

Dudley, Goshen, Grand and Montgomery school district, 5.596-18.2.

Goshen and Grand school district, 5.248-18.2.

Grand and Montgomery school district, 7.307-18.2.

Grand Prairie, 5.700-16.6.

Morral school district, 7.626-22.6

Green Camp, 5.680-17.2.

Green Camp corporation, 10.180-29.2.

Green Camp school district, 8.559-22.2.

Marion township, 5.036-16.1.

Marion corporation, realty, 13.-080-10; personal, 12.200-37.6.

Marion school district, 7.595-22.8.

Marion corporation and township school district, realty, 10.441-33.7; personal, 9.641-31.3

Montgomery, 7.232-18.1.

Dudley, Goshen, Grand and Montgomery special school district, 7.-271-17.1

LaRue, 10.890-31.6.

LaRue school district, 9.112-25.1.

New Bloomington, 12.062-28.6.

New Bloomington school district, 6.695-19.1.

Pleasant, 5.502-16.

Richland and Pleasant school district, 6.236-17.4.

Prospect, 5.568-19.

Prospect corporation, 10.888-38.4.

Prospect school district, 8.174-26

Richland, 6.168-17.

Salt Rock, 5.720-17.2

Morral, 10.530-30.2.

Morral school district, 8.220-24.2.

Scott, 5.942-17.8.

Tully, 6.512-18.

Waldo, 6.481-15.1.

Waldo corporation, 6.211-31.6.

The total county rate is 2.878 and the state rate .451.

In the divorce suit of Cora J. Bennett against Stella Bennett, the defendant has filed an answer in which she states that the plaintiff was harsh in his conduct toward her, and reviews a number of alleged violations of the marital contract. She asks that the petition for divorce be dismissed and that she be awarded certain household furniture now in the possession of the plaintiff.

In the suit of S. C. Torrence against the Grand Opera-House company, the defendant company withdrew its answer to petition, Wednesday, and the plaintiff was given a judgment for $1,000, with interest for about one year.

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KLEINMAIER'S

A BUSINESS MEETING HELD BY THE EAGLES

Arrangements Made for a Series of Winter Socials

A RABBIT SUPPER TO BE GIVEN SOON

About Forty Five Couples Are Entertained at a Dance Given by Canby Lodge No 51 Knights of Pythias—Notes from the Secret Society Circles of City

Considerable routine business was transacted at a largely attended and enthusiastic meeting of the Eagle Wednesday evening Charles Eris inger John Abel and James O Keefe a [illegible] number of a committee were appointed members of a committee [illegible] A rabbit supper will follow the meeting to be held next Wednesday evening.

About forty five couples enjoyed the dance given by Canby Lodge No [illegible] Knights of Pythias in the hall of the lodge Wednesday evening The music was furnished by [illegible] five piece orchestra

There was a large attendance at a regular meeting of Ithamar Court No 8 Tribe [illegible] Wednesday evening One application was received and one was balloted on The following officers were elected for the ensuing year

Harry Knight [illegible] R [illegible] Mrs [illegible] Mr [illegible] Evans teacher Mrs Dora Lewis scribe J F Waples keeper of tribute George McKinley captain Mrs Margaret Schur guide S I Leber trustee for three years Mrs Addi Reber inner guard Mrs Martha Scherff outer guard Mr W C Lucas pianist

Arrangements are made for an initiation at the next meeting to be held the second Wednesday of December After the business a social hour was enjoyed

A regular business meeting of Marion Legion No 110 National Protective Legion was held Wednesday evening with a good attendance Eight candidates were balloted upon and one candidate was initiated Arrangements were made for a masquerade dance next Wednesday evening The next regular meeting will be held in three weeks

A well attended meeting of the Ladies of the Maccabees was held in their hall Wednesday afternoon Miss Jennie M Little of Toledo deputy state commander was present and delivered an impressive address Considerable business of importance to the order was transacted Arrangements were completed for a dance to be given in two weeks The next regular meeting will be held in three weeks

JOSEPH WALL DIES IN ODD FELLOWS' HOME

Remains Are Taken to Richwood for Burial

REV J A SUTTON IS OFFICIATING MINISTER

Members of Odd Fellow and Knights of Pythias Lodges Are in Attendance at Funeral—Some News Notes of Interest Gathered at Richwood During Week

Richwood O Nov [illegible] [illegible] The remains of Joseph Wall who died Sunday morning in the I O O F home in Springfield were brought to Richwood Monday noon by [illegible] of Wadsworth and [illegible] the Presbyterian church [illegible] The officiating minister was Rev J A Sutton of Lafayette and members of Green Camp I O O F lodge and of Richwood Lodge Knights of Pythias of Richwood of which the deceased was a member attended As nearly as known the age of the deceased was about sixty four years and death was due to locomotor ataxia When a lad the deceased was picked up on Wall street in New York city and [illegible] was always known by the name of Wall no knowing his real name When a small child he was brought with a number of waifs to Marion county and found a home with the Foster family at Green Camp After he had grown up he learned telegraphy and was always employed by the Erie railroad In 1890 he fell beneath a moving freight train and his left arm was cut off He was never well afterward He was noted for his charitable disposition and was loved and respected by all who knew him He had no relative but had many close friends At the close of the funeral services the remains were taken to Claiborne cemetery and laid to rest in the Ogan lot he having been an intimate friend of the family of John Ogan

Mrs Samuel Spriggs and children who spent several weeks with the former's mother Mrs [illegible] left Tuesday for their home in Indianapolis

Alexander Howland of Athens has been the guest of his niece Mrs W I Turpson and Mr Albert Sutton during the past week

Mrs W C McAllister of Columbus spent Sunday with her sister Miss Carrie Hamilton

Mr and Mrs S A [illegible] of Columbus spent Sunday at the Hamilton farm north of Richwood

News has been received in Richwood of the marriage at Clayton New Mexico of Miss Hazel Lordelle Osborn to Mr I H Brill The bride is a daughter of Rev Mr and Mrs A C Osborn who left Richwood about a year ago for New Mexico While here Rev Mr Osborn was pastor of the Christian church and the bride was employed as book keeper at the Factory store The wedding took place November 1 the bride's father performing the marriage ceremony The groom is a young man of excellent business ability and for several years he has been operating a large ranch near Clayton

Mrs I R Cameron and daughter Mrs Samuel Fell were called to Springfield Sunday by the death of Mrs Sarah Owen the widow of the late Dr C I Owen The Owen family moved to Richwood in 1860 from Mechanicsburg and lived here a number of years Dr Owen practicing medicine and conducting a drug store He died several years ago They were the parents of three children Stella Corrie and Harry Owen The two daughters died several years ago The deceased made her home with her son Harry where she died Sunday morning She was about seventy five years old and death was due to cancer Interment was made at Mechanicsburg

Mr and Mrs Edward Mealey of Marion visited from Saturday until Tuesday with the former's mother Mrs Margaret Mealey Mrs Mealey also had as guests Sunday Mr and Mrs Willard Gellehei of Delaware Mr and Mrs Harry Mealey and daughter Alice Elizabeth of Marion and Robert Mealey of Columbus

Mr and Mrs George C Tippin [illegible] of Marion spent Sunday with the latter's parents Mr and Mrs [illegible]

[illegible] has been quite ill at his home on Beatty avenue during the past week

Mr and Mrs John [illegible] and daughter of Marion spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs Rish [illegible] Mr and Mrs John Allen

Mr and Mrs Ralph [illegible] were the guests Sunday and Monday of the latter's mother Mrs Agnes Mo[illegible] of Galion

Mrs Harry [illegible] has been ill of grip and complication during the past week

Mr and Mrs C W Kast who live [illegible] Richwood left Wednesday for [illegible] where they will spend a few days with relatives They will leave soon for Santa Ana California to spend the winter

[illegible] Woods arrived home Monday night from a pleasure trip through the Southwestern States

Mr and Mrs I A Martin left Monday night for Inglis Florida to spend the winter with their son Ray M Martin who has been employed for several years as chief engineer of the [illegible] Chemical company

They were accompanied by their daughter Miss Mae Martin

Amos Rigdon a former resident of Richwood died Saturday morning in St Francis hospital Columbus He had been ill of blood poisoning for several days He and his wife who was formerly Miss Vera Jenkins of Richwood left here for Columbus about eighteen months ago The widow and her little daughter will arrive here this week to make their home with the former's mother Mrs Robert Taylor who lives west of Richwood

Dr and Mrs Hylas S Moore left Tuesday night for Hot Springs Arkansas where they will spend the winter hoping that the change of climate will be of benefit to Mr Moore's health

Miss Myrtle Olis returned home Monday from Galion where she spent several days with friends

Miss Gladys Watson of Marion visited her parents Rev W M Watson the new pastor of the First Baptist church during the past week While here Miss Watson was the guest of Miss Lois Longstaff

Miss Caroline Land of Magnetic Springs and Mr R [illegible] Fell who lives two miles west of Richwood were united in marriage Saturday by Rev I S Weaver of the M E church at Marysville The young people were unattended The bride is a daughter of Mr and Mrs Charles Land of Magnetic Springs She has been employed as a teacher in the district schools south of Richwood for several years past and is a young woman of many pleasing qualities The groom's parents are Mr and Mrs John Fell of Claiborne For several years Mr Fell taught in the Claiborne township school but at present is engaged in farming He and his bride will reside on a farm two miles west of Richwood

At the regular meeting of Pythian Sisters Monday evening the semi annual election of officers was held with the following result Past chief Frances Graham most excellent chief Daisy McCee excellent senior Kittie Vaughan excellent junior Pearl Hodge manager Amanda Blair protector Ethel Jolley guard Laura Hartley trustee Ada [illegible] The officers will be installed the first meeting night in December A number of the Pythian Sisters are making arrangements to attend the convention of District No 8 to be held in Kenton December 8 Mrs Daisy McCee has been elected representative of the local lodge at the convention

Mrs J M Cunder has been visiting relatives in Nevada during the past several days

Otto Lewis and J Blair Cunder spent several days in Marion and Cleveland during the past week

A daughter was born Friday to Mr and Mrs Verner Lyng who reside southwest of Richwood

Mr and Mrs Fred [illegible] and daughter Ruth of [illegible] Wisconsin have been the guests of Mr and Mrs A Hewitt during the past week

Mrs F W Cates and Mrs R K Cray spent a few days with friends in Marion last week

Miss Mary Montrose [illegible] Saturday until Monday [illegible] Mrs C F [illegible] of Bellefontaine

Miss Leth Hudson resigned her position as operator at the telephone exchange a few days ago and went to Marion to accept a position

The Richwood Farm [illegible] will be held January [illegible] and a very fine program [illegible] arranged for the two days [illegible] There will be two [illegible] made

of special importance [illegible] farmers of Union county discussed

The fire department was called out at [illegible] o'clock Monday night a blaze having been discovered in the residence of Carl Zeig in Leeman addition Mr and Mrs Zeig have been in Mechanicsburg for some time and Frenon [illegible] had been staying in the house The fire started from an overheated chimney on the second floor but the prompt work of the department prevented the fire from spreading The damage amounted to about $ 00 the loss being fully covered by insurance

MEEKER PICKINGS OF THE PAST WEEK

A Few Minor Happenings at Village and in Vicinity

Meeker O Nov [illegible] —[Special]— Mrs Sarah Davis has been ill

Mrs Mary Yoder of Marysville was the guest of her sister Mrs Frank McIntire a few days this week

Mrs John Alexander is suffering from the result of a severe fall

Mr and Mrs C I Markwith of La Rue attended church services here Sunday

Joseph Pfeiffer Joseph Pfeiffer Jr Harry Lorey and Dr C S Burnside entered some fine chickens at the poultry show in Marion this week

Mr and Mrs Sabins of Marseilles were guests of Mr and Mrs George Kennedy Sunday

Mrs Noah Carpenter and children have returned home after a few days visit with friends in the country

Mr and Mrs Thomas Anderson of Kenton were guests of Thomas McIntire several days this week

Communion services were held Sunday afternoon in the M E church by Rev I J Cates assisted by Rev M C W[illegible] and Rev Mr Needles

John Webb [illegible] the first of the week

Mr and Mrs Om [illegible] returned Thursday to their home near [illegible] Indiana after a week's visit with Mr and Mrs Joseph [illegible]

Mr and Mrs [illegible] attended a birthday dinner Friday at the home of [illegible] Roberts near [illegible]

A business meeting of the [illegible] League was held Monday evening at the home of Mr A D Schultz

Mrs Grace Hogan has returned home after a [illegible] visit with friends in Marion and [illegible]

Mrs I J Kennedy [illegible] the guest of friends in Marion and Waldo

Mrs James Cutl[illegible] returned home after a week [illegible] with friends in Kenton and [illegible]

[illegible] returned to Marion [illegible]

C H M[illegible] [illegible] business [illegible] to Marion Monday

Roy Clemmons [illegible] Haviland [illegible] Mr and Mr Rollin Cemer [illegible]

Mrs A D Schultz [illegible] week with friends [illegible]

Butler Funeral

The funeral of Mr Daniel Butler was held [illegible] Friday [illegible] The remains were [illegible]

[illegible]

The world [illegible] wife

SUFFRAGETTES GO TO PRISON

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London Women Prefer Prison to Paying Fines

London Nov [illegible] Bow Street police court is still trying suffragettes today There have been no acquittals thus far and every prisoner given her choice between imprisonment and a fine has chosen the former The suffragette leaders promise another demonstration in a few days

Mrs Pethick Lawrence next to the Pankhursts probably the most prominent suffragette in England and a woman high in the country's social life was sentenced to two months imprisonment for striking a policeman in the face

COMMON PLEAS COURT

In the proceedings of the State of Ohio on complaint of Miss Clara Schertzer against Jesse Edgington the jury returned a verdict at [illegible] Thursday afternoon finding the defendant guilty as charged The jurors deliberated about thirty seconds Edgington was remanded back to jail to await sentence by the court

A bond has been filed with the clerk of courts with a view to carrying the suit of S H DeLong receiver against J P Barnthouse to the circuit court Barnthouse will appeal from the judgment of the court of common pleas

In the matter of the W S Mary Shoe company against C Rosenberg a jury in the court of common pleas gave the plaintiff company a judgment for $ [illegible] 98 Thursday

Perspiration stains can be removed by rubbing with soap and laying the garments in the hot sun

The Thanksgiving Glove Sale

Is attracting wide spread attention, for well do the women of Marion and vicinity know our glove stock to be the best, to carry the greatest collection of strictly dependable gloves, and these attractive prices are an important feature.

Women's Kid Gloves at 79c, $1.00, $1.25 and $1.50 pair, quite unmatchable elsewhere.

Women's Silk Lined Cashmere Gloves, two very special values, 25c and 50c pair

Long White Kid Gloves of the highest grade French Manufacture, $2.00 to $3.50 pair

Cape Gloves, unlined or silk lined, $1 00 and $1.50 pair

16 Button Chamoisette Gloves, white or natural, 75c pair.

A Special Department for Misses and Children's Gloves, complete lines of the many different kinds

Visit our Glove Department—get acquainted with our vast stocks, our Superior qualities and you will always buy Gloves here.

FRANK BROS.

Modart Corset Demonstration Visit our Corset Dept

The Warner Edwards Co

Modart Corset Demonstration Visit our Corset Dept

Read Our Ad in Tomorrow's Paper—It's of Interest to You.

What a Wonderful Dress Goods Sale We Are Having

Yesterday our [illegible] was crowded with eager buyers The special prices on seasonable Dress Goods [illegible] reason

$1 00 Suitings 89c

[illegible] and [illegible] Challies 45c Special lot

Some [illegible] to $1 00 Suitings 43c

[illegible] Shepherd Checks 39c

All Remnants marked at Half Our and Price

Dainty White Aprons 25c

[illegible] surprising to see how pretty they can be made [illegible] and what splendid gifts they make

Sheer Lawn prettily embroidered and only 25c

Warm Flannelette Gowns 50c

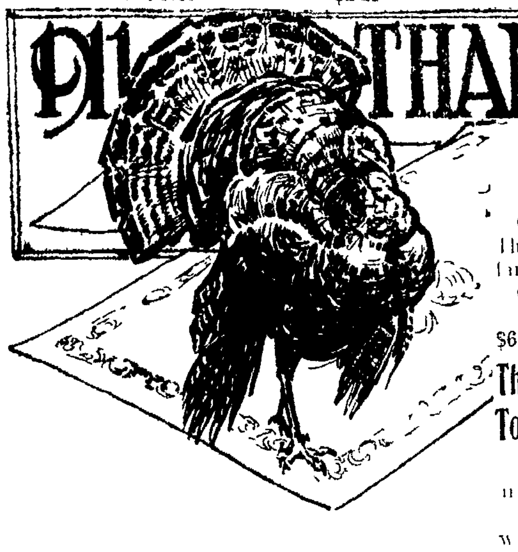
Soft and warm are the dainty Flannelette Gowns Extra long and cut [illegible] full Much better than the usual gown at 50c

Other Gowns at 75c 98c and $1 25

Furs Make Ideal Gifts

But better to give none at all than to give furs of doubtful quality The Warner & Edwards furs are always reliable From the finest Mink Set to the cheapest Coney your gift will give the greatest satisfaction Select your furs early—right now—and you will get the choicest skins

Fur Coats in pony and seal are here in great variety



1911 THANKSGIVING

A WEEK AWAY

Of course you will want some new Linens for Thanksgiving and when Christmas brings your family home

Our Pure Linen Damask at $1 00 has no equal Pattern Sets with Napkins to match start at $6 50

Then You Will Want Your Home To Look Its Best.

Perhaps some Curtains to brighten up a room are needed or a new rug

We were never more ready to supply your wants in the Fall And some of the values are out of the ordinary

GIFT THINGS ARE BEING SOLD

Handkerchiefs lead in popularity of course And such a large variety to choose from Many are prettily hand embroidered We can take orders for full names embroidered on handkerchiefs at only 25c better order now

Fancy baskets and other Holiday Goods on display



Now for Thanksgiving

A nice line of Roasters at	15c, 24c 29c 37c
White Lined Dish Pans	39c, 45c, 52c, 59c
Butcher Knives	10c 14c 19c, 25c
Food Choppers	87c, 98c
Paring Knives	3c, 5c, 10c
White Lined Coffee Pots	30c, 35c, 39c, 44c
Wood Bowls	9c, 14c, 22c up
49c wide Bleached Table Linen only	39c
Thanksgiving Post Cards	1c each, 6 for 5c
Good Gas Mantles, straight and Inverted	6 for 25c
Never Break Steel Skillets	25c, 29c, 34c, 42c
Gray Granite Water Buckets	34c, 39c, 49c

113 South Main Street B. J. SNOW. Successor to W B DeVesy

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS ENTERTAINS COMPANY

A Rabbit Roast Given for About 100 Guests

SOME TIME GIVEN TO SHORT PROGRAM

The Pythian Sisters Elect Officers at a Regular Meeting at Caledonia Mr and Mrs Foster Highly Move to Caledonia—Village Notes of Past Week

Caledonia Nov [illegible] —[Special]— Calantha Lodge No 116 Knights of Pythias entertained their families and the Pythian Sisters at a rabbit roast last Friday evening About 100 guests were entertained during the evening A short program was rendered [illegible] K I Meister gave a vocal solo and John George Philip Meister Joseph Ellin and John Ledrow contributed readings Later in the evening oysters [illegible] were served

Oscar Crain and Harry Crane of Cleveland were the guests of Mr and Mrs Heath Culbertson

Mr and Mrs Cyrus Mattox of Springfield arrived here Monday from Springfield for a short visit with relatives

Mrs Edward Fields and daughter Elma are spending the week with relatives in Marion

Mr and Mrs Elza Kress of Marion were the guests of Mr and Mrs Frank Ehlers Friday and Saturday

Mr and Mrs J D Harrison and Rev and Mrs C A K Edgington are spending several days of this week with friends in Cleveland

Mr and Mrs Roy Fields and infant son of Crestline are visiting with relatives south of town

Edward Assenheimer of Crestline spent last Friday with Mr and Mrs H N Geddis

The Pythian Sisters held an election at their regular meeting Tuesday evening as follows Mrs Ada Geddis past chief Mrs Effie Doyle most excellent chief Mrs Cora Pommert excellent senior Miss Bliss Hipsher excellent junior Miss Helen Pommert manager Mrs Blanche Highly mistress of records and correspondence Mrs Lettie Fish mistress of finance Mrs Laura George protector Mrs Tirzah Jackson outer guard Mrs Clara Harrison pianist Mrs Lettie Ehlers trustee Mrs Blanche Ledrow representative to grand body and Mrs Elizabeth Hart alternate A contest for new members is in progress with Mrs Bertha Ehlers and Miss Lorina Drake as captains The ladies will have a bazaar at the lodge rooms Saturday afternoon and evening December [illegible] Lunch will be served during the evening

Mr and Mrs Foster Highly moved from the Harrison farm east of town to their property on Main street this week

Miss Alma Keiter spent the first of the week with friends in Morrow county

John Pommert was in Marion on business in Iberia this week

Mrs Ler Cornwell and daughters Edith and Sybil Brown of Marion were the guests of Charles Highly and family from Saturday until Tuesday

Master Robert Ray Hinds of Marion is the guest of his grandparents Mr and Mrs James Hinds this week

Mrs Orpha Hughett of Marion was the guest of Mr and Mrs C I Harrison Saturday

Mrs Louise Croneuwett and Miss Lizzie Mingst [illegible] of Galion spent Thursday as the guests of their niece Mrs [illegible] N Geddis

C J Kelly transacted business in Cleveland last Thursday and Friday

Miss Helen Pommert was called to Mansfield Monday by the serious illness of her aunt

John Donnenwirth and daughter Edith of Bucyrus are the guests of the former's daughter Mrs H A Hart this week

Avery Culbertson returned to home in Cleveland Wednesday after a two weeks visit with relatives here

Mrs M I Hart accompanied her son W L Hart to Cleveland Sunday and will visit with his family for several weeks

Mr and Mrs [illegible] Lober entertained Mr and Mrs [illegible] P Geor and son Richard of Mt Gilead Sunday

YOUNG PEOPLE ARE JOINED IN MARRIAG

Miss Rose C Pfeffer and Mr Harry O Bowman

Miss Rose C Pfeffer and Mr Harry O Bowman were united in marriage at the home of Rev Father Joseph M Denning on north Main street Wednesday afternoon at [illegible] o'clock

Mr and Mrs Bowman depart Wednesday night for Cuba where they will pass their honeymoon

BRYAN AND WIFE TAKEN FROM SH

Commoner Wires That He Is Safe Ward Liner

Lincoln Neb Nov [illegible] W J Bryan wife and grandson have been taken from the stranded steamer Prinz Joachim and are on their way to Cuba A wire C W Bryan received this morning by way of Key West says safe on board Ward liner Enroute Cuba via Nassau

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THREE DIE IN ELECTRIC CHAIR

Sigh Coming from One Body Causes Stir.

TESTS, HOWEVER, PROVE MAN DEAD

Italian, Negro and White Man Sent to Eternity.

White Man and Black Go Unassisted to Death, the Former Uttering a Prayer Beside Chair. While the Negro, with a Cheery Good-By to *Doctors, Watches with Keen* Interest the Fixing of Straps.

Ossining, N. Y., Nov. 20.—A sigh, coming from the body of Pietro Fallelta, one of a trio of murderers killed in the electric chair in the Sing Sing state prison early today, gave rise to fears that the two shocks had not killed the Italian.

For an hour attending physicians worked over the body, applying every known method of resuscitation, but at the expiration of that time, medical tests showed that Fallelta was dead when taken from the chair.

The other two men put to death were Frank Schermerhorn, white, and Bert L. Brown, a negro.

Only nineteen minutes elapsed from the time the first man entered the death chamber until the last had been removed dead.

The circumstances surrounding the death of Fallelta were *so startling* and mysterious as to give rise to rumors that he was placed in the *electric chair a second time* after having been declared dead. This is denied by Warden John S. Kennedy.

When the Italian, the first of the trio, to die, was taken from the chair and placed on the autopsy table, physicians applied the usual tests for death.

Pronounced Dead.

An *accumulation of air in the* man's lungs escaped as a sigh. The physician who was performing the tests hurried into the death chamber where Frank Schormerhorn was being killed. He notified Dr. Edward Anthony S. Spitzka, of Philadelphia, professor of anatomy in the University of Pennsylvania, who was in charge of the executions. Dr. Spitzka, attended by Charles Farr and Dr. Henry E. Mereness, of the prison staff, hurried into the operating room. Their stethoscopes failed to show a heart beat, but the autopsy physician continued for several minutes to apply all the known restoratives without succeeding in bringing the man back to life.

Fallelta was the least composed of the three murderers and had practically to be supported to the chair.

Schermerhorn, who followed, walked unassisted to the electric chair, fell on his knees and crossed himself. A brief prayer, and he rose and seated himself with little concern.

Brown called out a cheery "good-bye, boys," to the other ten men in the "death house," walked smiling to the chair and watched with keen interest as the straps were being adjusted.

Then he called out "good-bye doctor," to Dr. Mereness, and a minute later was dead.

COMPARES THEFT OF A SOUL TO STOLEN HAM

Boston Divine Preaches on Crimes of the Day.

Boston, Nov. 20.—Declaring that New England, and especially Boston, men, are worse than the five who tarred and feathered Miss Mary Chamberlain, at Lincoln Center, Kansas, Rev. Herbert S. Johnson, of Warren Avenue Baptist church, declared from his pulpit that "theft of a woman's soul in Boston, doesn't amount to the theft of a ham."

"We say a dastardly thing like tarring and feathering of woman couldn't occur in New England," Johnson said. "We are guilty of *worse crimes every day. I visited* 'licensed hotels' last night. In every one young girls, imported from Canada to support those dives, were drinking, carousing and consigning their souls to hell and from 'licensed' places."

ITALY AND GOTHAM CONNECT BY WIRELESS

Message, Coming 4,000 Miles, Received in New York.

New York, Nov. 20.—Italy and New York have been connected by wireless, the first message, coming 4,000 miles, the greatest distance ever covered by wireless from Coltano, Italy, to Grace Bay, Nova Scotia, being sent by Marconi, the wireless inventor, to the New York *Times, last night.*

WISCONSIN HUNTER'S PECULIAR DEATH

Is Victim of Odd Accident While After Rabbit.

Fond Du Lac, Wis., Nov. 20.—Frank Temple, a hunter, is dead today, the victim of a peculiar accident. Temple laid his gun on a brush pile into which he had chased a rabbit. Tearing away the tangled brush he threw a stick over his shoulder which struck the gun and discharged it, killing him instantly.

COX QUITS AS POLITICAL MARK

Others Can Now Be Target, He Declares.

PLANS TO RETIRE FROM BUSINESS

Cox Will Reach Age of Sixty in Two Years.

Until I Am Sixty I Intend To Devote *My Time to My Theatrical Interests* and to My Traction Business. Says Cincinnatian, Who Drops Out as Head of Big Trust Company Today.

Cincinnati, Nov. 21.—George B. Cox hopes to retire from business at sixty. He is now fifty-eight. He reiterated today that he had already retired from politics. He declared that he was tired of being a political target and hoped some other target would be found, if targets were needed.

Cox was in the office of the bank which today passed out of his hands after twelve years of control. Cox was in a cheerful frame of mind, for as he declared, a burden had been lifted from him. He will conduct his private business affairs from this office until January 1, when he will seek other quarters.

"The bank merger does not mean that I will retire from business," he said. "I still have years of work in me. You know, I'm long on health.

"I'd like to keep going until seventy, but I think a man should quit *active affairs at sixty. I have two* years more to go before I reach that age.

Out of Politics.

"After sixty a man is better in an advisory capacity than as an active factor in affairs. After that age, somehow, *a man's physical being* does not respond as it should to the mind. Then it is time for him to lay off.

"I hope to quit at sixty.

"However, I am out of politics, as I have said before. I hope the people will take me at my word. If political targets are necessary I hope some other than I will be found.

"I intend to devote my time to my theatrical interests with Mr. Keith and the Shuberts and to my traction interests. I am still president of the C., D. & T.

"I *am not tired out at all—except* in the sense that the presidency of a bank has been a burden on my mind. I feel better now that I am relieved of it."

AERONAUTS HIT THE ELEMENTS

Balloonists Have Hard Time While High in Air.

Ft. Wayne, Ind., Nov. 21.—A journey in a balloon through snow squalls at an altitude of 10,000 feet was recounted yesterday by G. L. Bumbaugh and Walter Moffit, who sailed in the balloon, Duesseldorfer, from Indianapolis Sunday and alighted late Sunday night fifteen miles southeast of this city. They came here Monday to send news of their safe landing to their families.

The aeronauts suffered from intense cold, they said, and were combated by storms in several strata through which they arose by throwing out sand ballast. Finally the burden of snow in the rigging of the balloon was more than it could support and it settled slowly to earth.

The balloonists were trying for the Lahm cup, held by A. Holland Forbes, of New York, for a flight of 697 miles, but they traveled only 110 miles.

BIG DAM BREAKS OUT IN SEATTLE

Heavy Rains in Washington Sends Rivers Over Banks.

Seattle, Nov. 20.—The warm chinook winds of the last few days, bringing a heavy downpour of rain in the lowlands and melting the six feet of early snow in the Cascade mountains, flooded the rivers of western Washington, broke the dam of the municipal electric plant, cut off Seattle's water supply, demoralized railroad service, washed out bridges and flooded many farms and valley *towns. No lives have been reported* lost.

THE AMERICAN BANKERS MEET

Big Convention Opens in New Orleans Today.

ALDRICH'S PLAN HIGHLY ENDORSED

Would Correct Principal Defects of Present System.

The Guardians of $14,000,000,000, Representing 12,275 Banking Institutions of Country, Gather in Crescent City To Discuss Present and Improved Methods of Banking Business and Other Things.

New Orleans, La., Nov. 21.—The guardians of *14,000,000,000 good* American dollars met at the Athenaeum here today, the occasion being the thirty-seventh annual convention of the American Bankers' association.

The feature of the early session was the flat endorsement by President F. O. Watts of former Senator Nelson W. Aldrich's widely-discussed plan for a Central Reserve association. Watts urged the convention to adopt the report of the executive council, which had previously endorsed the Aldrich plan, with the words that it "would correct all the principal defects of our present banking and currency system."

Practically every speaker who followed Watts endorsed the Aldrich idea as modified by the currency commission, and this seemed to reflect the general sentiment of the bankers.

Sharply at 10 o'clock the convention, a brilliant assemblage of financial captains, representing 12,275 banking institutions, was called to order.

Most Rev. James H. Blenk, archbishop of New Orleans, pronounced invocation. Mayor Martin Behrmann and R. M. Walmsley, president of the local clearing house, welcomed the delegates, Myron T. Herrick, of Cleveland, responding.

In the annual address of the president, Watts urgd the bankers of the country to arouse public interest in monetary reform. He said:

Sees Easy Task.

"If the bankers and business men, who must be the leaders in the movement, succeeded in keeping the question non-partisan and in convincing the public beyond a reasonable doubt of the integrity of the control, then its enactment into law will be an easy accomplishment."

Watts repudiated the argument of the opponents of the Aldrich plan that it meant the passing of the control of the finances of the country into the hands of a small group of bankers. He said that under the revised scheme, no individual would be permitted to hold shares in the Reserve association, but only banking corporations. He also said that out of the thirty-nine elective directors, not more than five members of the executive committee should reside in one district. To further assure the control would be apportioned to all sections of the country, Watts suggested that an executive committee might be elected consisting of only one member from each district. The speaker freely admitted that "it is *practically certain that the real man*agement and control will finally rest, either by direct authority or acquiescence of the directors, in the executive committee.

The *report of the general* secretary, Fred E. Farnsworth, was received with close attention by the bankers. It indicated that the membership of the organization is now composed of 12,275 banks, with capital, surplus and deposits aggregating more than $14,000,000,000.

Clearing House Work.

The report stated that the currency commission of the association had held frequent meetings with the national monetary commission, and that branch of the association was ready to "prosecute a vigorous campaign when the proposed currency measure shall be framed as a bill in congress."

Stress was laid upon the work done by the clearing house section, which developed the numerical transit system and is now experimenting with a system of clearing house examiners in several of the larger cities.

Farnsworth said that interest in the work of the association is greater than ever before as a result of extensive "missionary work" done to create more extensive safeguards and economy in the handling of the country's banking business.

The report of the treasurer, Arthur Reynolds, of Des Moines, indicates that this work has cost nearly $200,000 during the last year, within $1,000 of the entire receipts of the association.

The reported losses by banks throughout the country by burglary during the past two years was $1,964,292,02, according to the report of the standing protective committee. The total number of banks robbed by burglars was 1,529. The banner states for bank robberies are Illinois and Oklahoma. The Bankers' association now has a rougues' gallery containing 1,532 portraits of men and women in the seemingly flourishing industry of tapping tills.

Paton, general counsel, urged the necessity of uniform legislation in regard to the collection of commercial paper, which he declared was the most important question after the currency problem. *He asserted* that judicial decisions upon nearly all phases of bank collections were in hopeless conflict.

Address of Aldrich.

In his address on the present money system, former Senator Aldrich said:

"The failure of the money can be largely attributed to the inability of banks to cooperate in times of stress and to the defective unelastic and to the unscientific system of note issue. The central bank system is to be an association organized with distinctive functions and local self government. The features of the plan of organization are:

"First, to maintain integrity and independence of existing banks, state and national. The new organization will in no sense be a competitor of existing banks. It is to be outside of the super-imposed upon existing system.

"Second—Equality of privilege for *all banks.*

"Third—Equality in rates of discount or rediscount to all banks; these rates to be uniform throughout the country.

"Fourth—Organization to be of a character which will effectually prevent control by local or national political influence.

"Fifth—Every means has to be taken to prevent organization control by any corporation or combination of corporations, individual or individuals in Wall street or elsewhere for selfish or sinister purposes.

"Sixth—The dominating principle is cooperation and not centralization."

The Sure Cure.

The central banks of Europe, said the senator, will not serve in the United States. The way to remedy defect and cure existing evil is:

"First—To insure adequate reserve: preparedness to respond to any demand without undue expansion or inflation.

"Second—To provide for concentration of the cash reserves of all the banks to be used for the existence and support of any, under assured decentralization of control. Scattered reserves having been found useless in times of pressure, deposit balances in the reserve association are to be counted as legal reserves.

"Third—To authorize the association to rediscount, through its district branches under local control, commercial paper of a definite character for individual banks, to be used in replenishing their reserves.

"Fourth—To give to individual banks the facilities for an increase of their reserves and loaning power.

"Fifth—To grant the power for further note issues to this cooperative association of all the banks, an authority which is now vested in national banks scattered throughout the country, and by requiring the association to forward its notes to any subscribing member at once upon application and without charge for transportation. Prompt redemption of all notes is required at the several *branch associations.*

"Sixth—To give authority to the reserve association to fix rates for rediscounts.

"Seventh—To give the association power to protect its own reserve and *thus enable it to sustain credit of* communities and country."

SPENCER'S WIFE CHEERS HIM DURING TRIAL FOR LIFE.



MRS. PULTZ, SPENCER'S SISTER.



MRS. BERTRAM G. SPENCER WITH HER MOTHER.

Above are shown three relatives of Bertram G. Spencer, on trial for the murder of Miss Martha B. Blackstone at Springfield, Mass., who are doing all in their power to save the prisoner from the death chair. Spencer's wife is constantly by his side when the trial is on and affectionately strokes his head when a fit of weeping seizes him.

COTTON GINNING REPORT ISSUED

There Are 11,369,906 Bales Ginned from 1911 Growth.

Washington, Nov. 21.—According to a cotton ginning report issued by the census bureau today, there were 11,269,986 bales, counted round as half bales, ginned from the growth of 1911 to November 14, as compared with 8,780,433 bales for 1910. The per cent. of the last two crops ginned to November 14 is 75.9 for 1910 and 80.5 for 1909.

Round bales included this year are 76,011; compared with 93,364 for 1910. Sea island included 71,199 bales for 1911 *compared* with 52,641 for 1910.

A PITTSBURGHER CORNERS KRAUT

Price Jumps from Five to Nine Dollars a Barrel.

Fremont, O., Nov. 21.—Short crop and limited output is given as the reason for the sharp advance in price of sauerkraut.

An increase of one dollar a barrel was reported last week. Kraut selling at five dollars a barrel at the opening of the season is now selling at nine dollars.

Dealers here have received word that J. G. McCaskey, of Pittsburgh, broker and kraut maker, has cornered the output.

HARMON ISSUES A PROCLAMATION

Calls Upon the People To Observe Thanksgiving Day.

Columbus, O., Nov. 20.—Calling upon the people of the state to observe the day "by religious services in church and at the fireside, and by laying aside our usual occupations," Governor Harmon today *issued a proclamation designating* Thursday, November 30 as a day for thanksgiving in Ohio. He urges all to give to the afflicted and poverty-stricken in accordance with the blessings he has received.

HIGH FINANCE MADE CLEAR

A Sidelight on Transaction of Rockefeller.

HOW OIL KING GETS HOLD OF RAILROAD

"Padded" Report Used, Says an Engineer.

The Engineer in Charge of Construction of the Duluth, Mesaba & Northern Railway Takes Stand in Steel Inquiry and Creates Sensation by Statements Regarding the Oil Baron.

Washington, Nov. 21.—The winding ways of high finance as traversed by John D. Rockefeller were made clear to the Stanley investigating committee of the house, today.

How the oil king, for $1,000,000 loan secured control of the Duluth, Mesaba & Northern railroad, and its interests in the Minnesota ore field, later valued at nearly $10,000,000, was explained by C. H. Martz, the engineer who constructed the line.

After the road had passed into Rockefeller's hands, Martz asserted, he was instructed to make a report "padded" to show that the road was valued at nearly $8,000,000.

"This report was to be submitted to the Minnesota railroad and warehouse commission," said Martz, "in order to show that the freight rates charged on ore represented a reasonable return on the money invested in the road and were not exorbitant."

"Under whose instructions did you pad this report?"

"Under instructions from George Wellwood Murray, personal counsel for John D. Rockefeller, and his associate, Joseph E. Cotton."

An interesting sidelight was shown when Martz told of losing nineteen shares of stock in Duluth, Mesaba & Northern railroad.

"In order to raise money to build a branch line, I was told that we had to use all the railroad stocks as securities in New York. I turned over part of my holdings, nineteen shares, without endorsing them."

"Where did those shares go?" demanded Gardner.

Rockefeller's Way.

"I understand they went to Mr. Rockefeller's office," he said. "Later I was told that Mr. Rockefeller objected to having his employes hold stock in his concern and I was offered $25 a share for the stock. I finally settled on $30 a share. That stock now pays about $200 a year a share in dividends."

Martz said that he had never received any return from the shares which he supposed to be in Rockefeller's office.

"Did you ever make any effort to locate that stock?" asked Gardner.

"*No. I was informed that so long* as I did not make any investigation my job was good and I needed the job," said Martz.

Martz later straightened out a confusion in his testimony by explaining that he was instructed by Murray to make the "padded report" of the property, which had cost $1,700,000, show a value of at least $5,000,000, and that the details were prepared under the direction of Cotton. He said that he had succeeded in making the reports show about $4,200,000 and that the lawyers, in "reporting interest depreciation and other financial changes, brought the total up to $7,932,000."

Alfred Merritt, formerly president and one of the founders of the Duluth, Mesaba & Northern railroad, at the afternoon session, related the manner in which John D. Rockefeller secured control. Merritt corroborated much of the testimony given by Martz.

AN EARTHQUAKE REPORTED TODAY

The Distance Is Estimated at 1,500 Miles Away.

New York, Nov. 20.—The seismograph of the Brooklyn college recorded an earthquake today. The vibrations started at 8:51 a. m. and stopped at 9:29 a. m., the maximum shock being at 9:12 a. m. The distance is estimated at 1,500 miles away.

RUSH SOLDIERS TO THE BORDER

United States Will Patrol Rio Grande for Mexico.

GENERAL REYES UNDER ARREST

Charged with Engineering Revolt Against Madero.

Reyes Proclaims His Innocense, but Believes United States Government Acts in Good Faith—Aged General Declares He Is Persecuted by the Maderistas—Disappointed Office-Seekers Make Trouble.

San Antonio, Tex., Nov. 20.—Conditions on the border between the United States and Mexico have become so menacing that a patrol of troops will be maintained on this side of the Rio Grande to cooperate with the state authorities in the enforcement of neutrality. As a result of the long conference between General Joseph W. Duncan, commander of the department of Texas, and civil and military authorities at Laredo, Company I, Third cavalry, now at target practice at Leon Springs, was ordered to break camp this morning and return to San Antonio. The company will entrain here and will reach Laredo some time before midnight, equipped for field service and with 10 days' rations.

Reyes Protests Innocence.

No additional arrests were made here under the federal indictment found at Laredo. General Reyes, who will appear *before Commissioner* Edwards today, spent several hours with Marshal Hicks, his counsel. Reyes says he is confident he will be released.

"I am sure the American authorities in taking this measure have acted in compliance with their duty and I have the fullest confidence in their honorable motives and their sense of justice," said Reyes. "My denunciation will prove the truth of what I have further said, that I have been forced to abandon my country owing to the hostile attitude of the Maderistas. I am sure this is the result of the Maderista persecution of me."

Prominent Men Arrested.

Monterey, Mexico, Nov. 20.—The arrest of General Bernardo Reyes in San Antonio, when learned here caused much *excitement among* his friends and supporters in this city of Mexico.

Reyes was held on an indictment returned by the federal grand jury in which he was charged with organizing a rebellion against a friendly power contrary to the neutrality laws.

Information in possession of the government agents shows that Nov. 20 was the date set for the Reyes revolt. Whether it will now take place on that date is not known. Several prominent men who are alleged to be connected with the seditious movement have been arrested in different parts of the country during the last 24 hours.

Julio Nagera, a former officer in Madero's army, has started a revolt of his own in the Altolonga district of Vera Cruz. His chief grievance is that his application for appointment to a government office under Madero was refused. He has raised quite a body of men to the standard.

Governor Issues Orders.

Austin, Tex., Nov. 20.—"All revolutionists in the vicinity of Laredo must leave Texas within 48 hours," read the specific orders of Governor O. B. Colquitt of Texas to Adjutant General Hutchins, who is at Laredo to cope with the situation there.

WOMEN'S COLLEGES OLD MAID PLA

Dr. Sprague Tells Why the Crop Is Short.

Cambridge, Mass., Nov. "Women's fondness for rugs automobiles is responsible for shortness of the baby crop," said ing to Dr. Robert J. Sprague, of hearst college, who believes women's colleges are old maid tories wholly unfitting women matrimony.

"Women should not be inac *don't say for them to return* 'dark ages,' but they should st of professional and business lif which their college life fits t said Dr. Sprague. "The profes woman dreads the thought of a and the care of babies. She lo marriage as a bore."

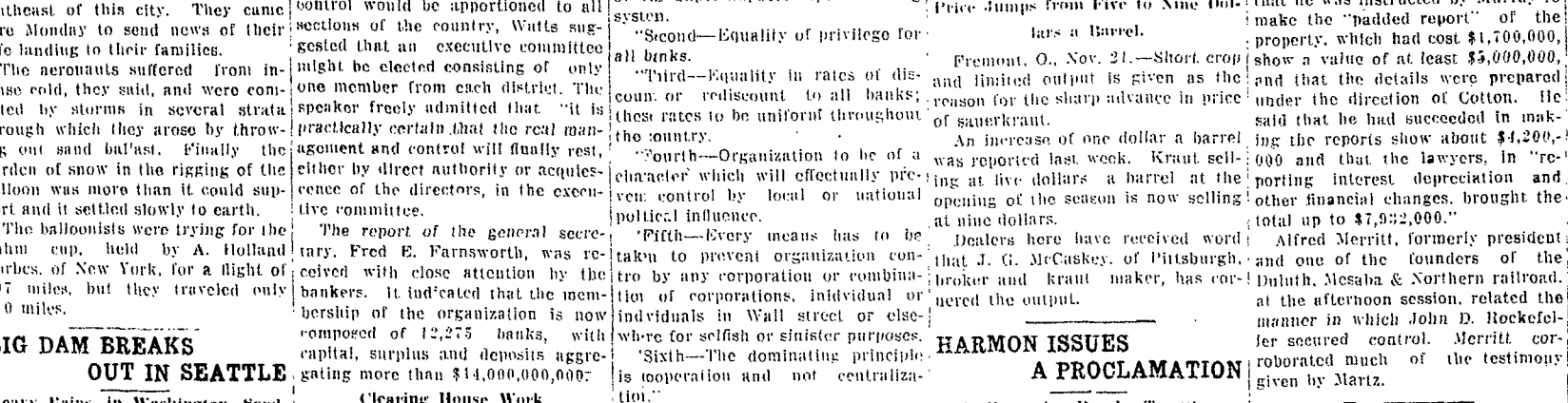
EIGHTEEN KILLED IN AN EXPLO

Coal Dust Explodes in a Wes ginia Mine.

Vivian, W. Va., Nov. 20.—Ei men were killed in a coal du plosion which occurred in the Creek mine of the Bottom Cree and Coke company, at this pla

Among the men killed were neers W. H. Henderson of ville, Md.; E. H. Hervey of Ph phia; Tarvin Williams of Ke W. Va., and Charles Brewer born, W. Va., who were in a five making a semi-annual sur the mine. Alexander William fifth engineer, was saved. The killed were negroes or fo

BRINGING HOME THE TURKEY — THANKSGIVING DAY FANCIES



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FARM IS BASIS OF PROSPERITY

Declares Southerner to American Bankers.

SOIL TILLERS NEED FINANCIAL SYSTEM

Whereby They Can Have Better Margin of Profit.

North Carolina Financier Says No Financial System Can Be Effective That Does Not Embrace in Its Scope the Needs of Agricultural Sections—Re-Discounts and Credits Are Discussed.

New Orleans, La., Nov. 22.—Asserting that the American farmer was creating wealth at the rate of $25,000,000 a day and that he, above all others, needed the benefit of some financial system that would leave him a margin of profit after making and warketing of his crops, Joseph G. Brown, president of the Citizens' National bank, of Raleigh, North Carolina, today told delegates to the American Bankers' association, what he considered the needs of the farm and how the farmer would be benefited by the National Reserve association proposed by ex-Senator Nelson W. Aldrich.

"Back of all commerce, banking, manufacturing and all other industries, lies agriculture as the real basis of prosperity." said Brown. "No financial system can be effective that does not embrace in its scope the needs of the agricultural sections.

"There must be some system of finance by which the farmer may not only obtain funds to make his crop, but may also be sure of facilities for marketing or holding it after it is made, so as to get for himself a fair share of the profits of his labor. Under the present system, he is forced too often to sell under most unfavorable conditions."

The Reserve association, Brown said, would, by a union of forces, strengthen the courage of the country bankers, through whom the farmers must secure funds for the making of his crop, and at the same time keep open the markets through which the crop is converted into cash.

To Benefit Farmer.

"Whether the small country banker becomes a member of the Reserve association or not, he can not fail to enjoy the benefits of it because of reserve correspondents, having themselves an unfailing source of supply," said Brown.

George M. Reynolds, president of the Continental and Commercial National bank, of Chicago, in discussing "Re-Discounts and Credits," defended the Reserve association plan, saying:

"The bill is not a partisan bill and the only hope of its becoming a law depends upon our ability to keep it out of politics."

Reynolds asserted that fully ninety-five per cent. of all business was on a credit basis and said:

"I hope you will get it clear in your minds that under the principle that reserves are held only as a protection to credit, and that since credit itself is the controlling power in business, the credit large reserves will justify is giving back to the members of the association or to thousands of banks throughout the country, thereby decentralizing and taking away from the control of a few that power so vital to business life."

Tentative plans for the formation of the Reserve association in Reynold's opinion provide such a unique manner for the election of directors and officials to direct its affairs that it would be impossible for any individual or clique to obtain control and operate the association to their interest and against that of the masses.

THE RAILROADS.

A table of the revenues and expenses of railways for three months of the fistical year, 1912, shows a net operating revenue for the Erie of $4,736,264, with a net increase of $8,674 over the corresponding period of last year. For the Big Four the net operating revenue for the same period was $2,873,471, with an increase of $1,056,517 over the corresponding period of last year. For the Pennsylvania railroad the operating revenue was $12,232,803, with a net increase over the corresponding period of $875,878.

The tables of the railway revenues and expenses as published in the Railway Age Gazette does not disclose the figures for the Hocking Valley for the three months, but for the month of August, 1911, the net operating revenue reached $317,149, with a net increase of $26,882 over August of 1910.

[illegible] Jay Silvernail, 21 lost his [illegible] arm as a result of a hunting accident, north of [illegible].

Poverty hath its own reward. A poor man isn't asked to contribute to campaign fund.

Some people speak as they think—but more frequently.

TAFT TO PAVE WAY FOR RENOMINATION

President Will Give Dinner to Republican Committee.

Washington, Nov. 22.—The first open move to be made by President Taft in the interest of his renomination for the presidency will be a dinner to the Republican national committee at the White House December 11, it was learned today. The entertainment of the committeemen by President Taft will be a frank bid for their support in 1912 is the view of politicians. It will take place on the eve of the departure of the Republicans for their home states as the committee assembles December 9.

It is the hope of the president's friends that the gathering at the White House will serve to allay any friction which may have developed in the business meetings, and send members home in high good humor and harmony.

Taft Recovered.

Washington, Nov. 22.—President Taft abandoned the role of invalid today and was at his desk in the executive offices before any of the clerks arrived. Major Delaney, his physician, pronounced him fully recovered.

BOOKWALTER LAUDS AMERICAN FARMER

Speaker Declares Nation's Fate Depends on Soil.

Springfield, O., Nov. 21.—"In the potentialities of agriculture there wholly lies the entire future economic possibilities of the nation." This was the keynote of an address delivered by Hon. John W. Bookwalter at a reception given him by the 1,300 members of the Commercial club.

Mr. Bookwalter is the largest farmer in the United States. He owns and cultivates 320 farms of approximately 70,000 acres in Ohio, Illinois and Nebraska. Of the 70,000 acres 65,000 acres are in Nebraska. Second to him in magnitude is David S. Rankin of Tarkio, Mo., with 29,000 acres to his credit.

The reception was in honor of Mr. Bookwalter's homecoming after an absence of many years abroad. The reception was the first of a series of festivities this week arranged in his honor and in appreciation of recent princely gifts of nearly $50 000 to local institutions and associations including $7,000 to the poor of the city.

FURTHER DELAY IN THE DIEGLE CASE

The Case Is Complicated by Request of Lawyer.

Columbus, O., Nov. 22.—Further delay in the Diegle bribery complicity case is expected. Yesterday, Charles E. Belcher, attorney for Sergeant-at-Arms Diegle, made formal request to the supreme court that the case be heard by oral argument. Such requests are always granted, but they usually mean that the case does not reach the court as soon as if presented on briefs.

The court has the case as soon as the briefs are filed, but if there are to be oral arguments the case which will be advanced only to the class of advanced cases and must take its turn for oral argument with other advanced cases.

A PRISONER LEAPS FROM MOVING TRAIN

Takes Advantage of Prison Guard's Good Nature.

Columbus, O., Nov. 21. — Edward Mansfield, who escaped from the penitentiary in August, and recently was captured at Spokane, Wash., escaped from a Pennsylvania train at West Manchester, near Dayton. He was being brought back to the prison by Guard William F. Maish of Delaware county. He was not handcuffed and had permission to move about. Locking himself in a toilet room, he raised a window and jumped. He then was within 100 miles of the penitentiary. Mansfield was sent up from Cincinnati to serve one year for forgery.

SEVENTEEN DEAD BODIES RECOVERED

Are Taken from Ill-Fated Vivian Mine Today.

Bluefields, W. Va., Nov. 20.—Seventeen dead bodies had been removed from the ill-fated Vivian mine of the Bottom Coal company near Welch today. Four men have been taken out alive, but two of these may die. It is pretty certain now that the explosion was due to a pocket of gas and was local only in its effect on the other men in the shaft could not have gotten out alive.

Chief Laing, of the state mine inspecting department with six deputies have started an investigation of the disaster.

GRANGERS SELECT OLIVER WILSON

Illinois Man Made Master of National Organization.

Columbus, O., Nov. 22.—Oliver Wilson of Illinois was elected master of the Farmers' National Grange, winning over George B. Horton of Michigan on the first ballot. Wilson was the stand-pat candidate and had the support of the middle-of-the-road faction. He is an Ohioan by birth, having been born in Belmont county, but removed to Illinois when quite young.

A man may be able to convince an innocent maid that he loves her more than he loves himself, but he can't convince a widow.

Time will tell—if a woman doesn't beat time to it.

MRS. ANTHONY J. DREXEL AWAITS DIVORCE



MRS. ANTHONY J. DREXEL.

Mrs. Anthony J. Drexel, the well known society woman, surprised her friends when she announced that divorce from her husband was a matter of only a few weeks. Mrs. Drexel declared that she would leave Philadelphia and make her home in England after she obtained her divorce.

WILL FINANCE COTTON CROP

Farmers To Be Rescued from Speculators.

GOTHAM BANKER BACK OF BIG DEAL

Scheme To Raise $50,0000,000 Under Way.

Money Will Be Advanced to Southern Growers in Order That Product Can Be Held for Reasonable Price. Plan Will Put Gamblers at Mercy of the Men Whom They Have Often Bled.

New York, Nov. 22.—That cotton may be purchased from the planter at a better price than the one now quoted on the cotton exchange, is the basis of the $50,000,000 scheme unfolded to representatives of the press by Colonel Robert M. Thompson, special partner in the brokerage firm of S. H. P. Pell & Company.

"It is like this," said Colonel Thompson. "Heretofore the farmer has been at the mercy of the speculator. Now we are going to put the speculator at the mercy of the farmer. Heretofore the speculator has played the farmer when he was playing the market. Now the enormous power of the combined farmers of the south is going to be brought into the market to overthrow the power of the speculators. We are bringing the farmer to the market. The method is indirect, but you see how it works. The farmer holds his cotton and the market goes up to a decent price. Of course, we demand no exorbitant price. But the point is that this is all going to come out of the speculators."

Scheme In Detail.

Colonel Thompson's formal statement, outlining the details of the scheme, follows:

"The announcement was made here following conferences that have been in progress for several days between prominent bankers of New York and leading representatives of the south, such as Governor O'Neal of Alabama, Clarence Ousley, representing Governor Colquitt of Texas, and E. J. Watson, president of the permanent southern cotton congress and commissioner of agriculture of South Carolina. A proposition had been presented to these men, representing respectively bodies composed of producers and business men of the south, which means the placing in the cotton belt states of about $50,000,000 immediately for the handling of the cotton crop of 1911. In other words, the proposition is to give the farmer $25 per bale advance on his cotton, without interest, charging him only $1 per bale to cover expense of grading and handling, letting him turn over the cotton to the holders, who will advance him $25 per bale and give him the opportunity to designate the day of sale prior to Jan. 1, 1913, and participate in any advance in price to the extent of three-fourths of the rise in the market."

Rose Law Election.

Zanesville, O., Nov. 21—Muskingum county will hold an election under the Rose law probably December 16. A petition containing seventy per cent. of the voters of this county will be filed with the county commissioners tomorrow.

Girls look upon young widows as brazen things.

PROGRESSIVES OUT FOR TEDDY

A Boom Is Started at Garfield Anniversary Dinner.

JOHN J. SULLIVAN LIGHTS FIREWORKS

Is Closely Followed by Others at Youngstown.

Sullivan Says People Have Arms Outstretched To Welcome Taft Back to Private Life and Turn Eyes to Faithful Friend, Theodore Roosevelt, To Again Take the White House Chair.

Youngstown, O., Nov. 21.—"Roosevelt for the Republican presidential nomination in 1912," was the slogan sounded at the banquet given in honor of the anniversary of the birth of James A. Garfield, martyred president. The announcement of the Roosevelt boom was made by John J. Sullivan, former district attorney of Cuyahoga county, who said:

"To the president of the United States, William H. Taft, the Republican party and the American people are sounding in his unwilling ears the tocsin of his recall from power, and as a distinguished American citizen they are waiting his return to private life with the open arms of a hearty welcome.

"Who shall lead us in 1912? I do not know what you may think, but if I mistake not, the prevailing sentiment of the masses, their eyes are turning toward a faithful friend and familiar figure, who has climbed the perilous heights of public duty unscathed, who has been tested and tried and found true, whose heart beats in rythm with the pulse-beats of humanity everywhere—the foremost citizen of the world, Theodore Roosevelt."

Motive Is Disclosed.

Sullivan's declaration for Roosevelt was the sequel to the action of the progressives in declining to approve of the candidacy of LaFollette when in caucus last week.

Other speakers present in addition to Garfield's son, James R. Garfield, and Mr. Sullivan, were Joseph Wess of Youngstown, J. B. Burrows of Painesville and Warren Thomas of Warren, O.

Judge R. M. Wanamaker of Akron created a decided sensation when he delivered a most bitter attack on President Taft and his entire administration. Judge Wanamaker charges that Taft rode into power on the Roosevelt policies and immediately deserted the Roosevelt crowd and went over to the reactionaries. He then tears to pieces and holds up to ridicule many acts that the president has done and declares that never in the history of thi scountry, not excepting the administration of Andrew Jackson, has so much patronage, coercion and intimidation been used to influence legislation as has been used in the past two years."

Farmer Shot In Face.

Zanesville, O., Nov. 21.—A. S. Leland, former county commissioner, was shot in the face by a hunter while at work in a field and may lose the sight of one eye. One of a party of four hunters shot at a rabbit and Leland received the charge.

Never neglect to moisten linen that is to be drawn, using a damp rag or small sponge. The threads will pull more easily if the line to be drawn is rubbed with soap after being moistened.

SUFFRAGETTES ARE REPULSED

As They Make Fierce Attack on Parliament.

WOMEN ARE WILD WITH EXCITEMENT

Hurl Bricks and Stones in Every Direction.

London Police Place Hundreds of Women Raiders Under Arrest. Battle Comes as Result of Police Interfering with Plan of Suffragettes To Force Their Way into the House of Commons.

London, Nov. 22.—Dishevelled from their combat with the police and drowsy from the inconveniences of a night in jail, 220 suffragettes were on hand at Bow Street Police court, today, to answer for participation, in yesterday evening's raid on the houses of parliament.

Miss Mary Oldham, charged with obstructing traffic, assaulting the police and malicious destruction of property, was the first woman arraigned. Undaunted by all she had been through, she boldly defied the court to do its worst, saying she would willingly undergo martyrdom for the cause in which she is enlisted. She was sentenced to fourteen days' imprisonment, with the option of a $17.50 fine, and promptly elected to go to jail. The trials will probably cover several days.

Following disposition of Miss Oldham's case, the court adopted the method of graduating the prisoners' sentences according to the extent of the damage they were accused of having done. Where the damages exceeded $25, however, the offenders are being bound over for trial by a superior court.

A somewhat riotous crowd surrounded the court when the vanloads of prisoners arrived and an army of police had hard work to keep order.

Black eyes and scratched faces were numerous among the prisoners, and several declared that their entire bodies were masses of bruises. They charge that the police were under orders to handle them as brutally as possible, short of inflicting serious injury, by way of discouraging them. To this end, they assert, the officers struck them in the faces, pinched them twisted their arms, ripped off garments and in some instances treated them with actual indecency.

Will Keep Up Fight.

The leaders say these methods will not deter them for an instant from continuing their campaign until suffrage is granted them. They will also do their utmost to create disorder in jail as outside of it. They will refuse to work, the prison attendants will be resisted, there will be hunger strikes, the prison furniture will be smashed and every method resorted to to force the government to surrender.

In last night's encounter, scores of policemen were hurt. A number were stabbed with hat pins. Some had their eyes blackened, their noses bruised or teeth knocked out by brass knuckles in women's hands.

"This is real war," said Miss Chrystobel Pankhurst, the militant suffragette leader, today, "and the government may just as well understand it first as last. No, we are not unreasonable. We have acted with the greatest moderation. No great reform is ever won without a physical struggle. We are determined upon this reform and we do not shrink from the struggle. How far do we intend to go? We intend to go just as far as we must to get what we want—the ballot."

Raid Frustrated.

London, Nov. 22.—The suffragette raid on parliament Tuesday afternoon resulted in a pitched battle between the women leaders and the police. For a time, the police withstood the attack of the women and prevented them from entering the house of commons. More than 100 women were arrested in the first few minutes of rioting. There were many minor casualties, the women resisting the police bitterly and forcing them to use their clubs.

All the streets converging on the houses of parliament were jammed with suffragettes. There were enough policemen on the scene to quell a monstrous riot, for they remembered the last raid on parliament.

The women became veritable viragoes when efforts were made to turn back the head of the marching army, attacking the police with fury. The streets were soon littered with women's hats, capes and parts of gowns.

Desperate Tactics.

Thousands of women resorted to desperate tactics, picking up stones and stoning government buildings. Hundreds of persons were struck by the flying missiles and in some cases injuries were severe.

The women attempted to raid parliament houses last evening, announcing their intention of forcing their way into the house of commons to force Premier Asquith to reconsider his determination not to make women's suffrage one of the administration's issues in the parliament which has just convened.

The women were notified in advance that they would not be permitted to enter the house of commons, whereupon they announced their intention to force their way in. The police were ready for them and the battle was the result.

THE CARNEGIE MILLIONS.

Andrew Carnegie has now given away more than $208,000,000, his last gift of $25,000,000 to the Carnegie corporation for educational purposes, being the largest to any one purpose. The corporation, organized under the laws of New York, to which he has given the last named sum, is "to promote the advancement and diffusion of knowledge and understanding among the people of the United States." It is to do for him what he has been himself doing, and the field of its activity is made large so as to include all that he has been doing and more, if occasion arises.

For years now Mr. Carnegie has acted on the theory that it was too great a task for him, acting alone, wisely to dispossess himself of the immense fortune. From time to time, he has called other men to his aid, establishing funds for other men to administer. His latest action is simply another step. Whether or not he means to stop at this point remains to be seen, but he seems to have provided for the use of his money in all the fields he has thus far selected for his own philanthropy. He has given money to promote peace, to build libraries, to provide for scientific research, to establish a technical school, to care for worn-out professors and to relieve the condition of steel workers. He has given money for use both here and abroad, but the great bulk of it has been put into channels where it will benefit Americans especially. Here his money was acquired and here it is being most largely distributed.

Whether or not those vast millions ought to have been allowed to accumulate in the hands of one man, it is not to be denied that Mr. Carnegie has done much to make his millions a boon to his fellowmen.—Columbus Dispatch.

OUR GERMAN NAVY.

Is it the German navy that is in the Hudson? One might imagine from the fact that it is Secretary von Lengerka Meyer who reviews it and Rear Admiral Hugo Osterhaus who commands it; supported on either side by Captain Winterhalter of the Louisiana and Captain Fechteler of the South Carolina.

The illusion would be still more complete if Rear Admirals Schroeder and Heilner and Gottfried Blocklinger and Albert Mertz were not unavoidably absent.

But these distinguished naval commanders are not Germans. They are all Yankee tars of the most thoroughgoing American description, though their fathers may have been born on Thuringian hills or Pomeranian lowlands. As for von Lengerke Meyer, he is a Bostonian of pronounced codfish and phascolean antecedents.

Our Teutonically commanded warships are a new and striking proof of the absorptive magic of American air. The American navy's strains of fighting blood go back not only to Leipzig, Koeniggratz and Trafalgar, the Bon Homme Richard, Lake Champlain and Lake Erie, but to Aticum and Salamis as well.—New York Mail.

Hard on Smaller Parties.

One interesting possibility of the recall is its bearing upon the chances of the smaller parties for getting tangible results in their fight for power and place. For example, take the position of the Socialist mayors elected this fall in seven or eight Ohio cities.

Not one of them had a majority of the votes cast, as far as we have discovered. In every case the Socialist candidate won by a plurality, not by a majority. Nowhere was there evidence of strength sufficient to beat a combination of the other parties hostile to the Socialists.

If the recall were now in force in Ohio it would not take long to start new campaigns against the Socialist mayors, putting one fusion candidate into the field in every city. Then the Socialists would be routed before they had an opportunity to show what they could do or how they would run their offices if given a chance to make good their pre-election promises.

Most of the little parties are for the recall because it is a radical proposition and they are for radical changes, but in the case of the Socialist party, as things stand in Ohio now, the recall would work much hardship upon its leaders and put off for years its opportunity to show what it can do in practical affairs.—Cleveland Leader.

PROBATE COURT.

Henry Wise, as administrator of the estate of John Thombs, deceased has made application to the probate court to sell notes giving him as administrator for deferred payments on sales of real estate.

Berenice Anderson, who made application for a liquor license November 8, took out the license Tuesday. She will run a place on Kenton avenue.

The more a woman runs after a man the easier it is for her not to catch him.

VICTIM TELLS OF TAR PARTY

Kansas Teacher Faces Assailants in Court.

LURED TO LONELY SPOT BY BARBER

There the Girl Is Given Coat of Hot Tar.

Young Teacher Goes into Minute Details of Manner in Which Sticky Substance Is Applied to Her Body and Legs—Her Companion Admits That Assault on Her Is a Part of Plan of Conspirators.

Lincoln Center, Kan., Nov. 22.—Facing Edward Ricord, her decoyer, and the three other men charged with complicity in the attack made upon her, Mary Chamberlain, the Shady Bend school teacher, took the stand and gave a recital of her terrible experience on the lonely roadway on the night of the now famous "tar party."

After telling about the motive of her employment in a store at Shady Bend, she plunged into her story.

"Did someone call you up on Aug. 7?" was asked. "Yes, Ed Ricord," she replied.

"What did he say?" "He joked me a little bit and then said there was a dance at Beverly and he wanted me to go with him. He said we were invited and I told him I would go. He arrived about 8:30 o'clock and we started to Beverly."

"How was his conduct toward you?" "His remarks were indecent."

"What did you say?" "I told him if he was going to act that way I wanted to go back home. We talked a little and then we turned around and started back toward Shady Bend."

"What happened at the top of the hill on the way back to town and a short distance from where you turned around?" "Five masked men took me from the buggy. Three of them carried me around behind the buggy, threw me down and smeared tar over my shoulders and my lower limbs."

"Did you recognize any of them?" "Not then."

Miss Chamberlain said Ricord stood over by the fence and did not assist in any way, although she called for help two or three times.

"Then," she said, "one man raised my clothes over my head. Another poured the tar on my lower limbs and two smeared it around."

Clothing Was Ruined.

She said not only her shoulders and limbs, but also her breast and arms were smeared with tar. Her clothing, she testified, was ruined.

A new feature of the attack on Miss Chamberlain was revealed in the testimony of Edward Ricord, who lured Miss Chamberlain to the scene of the "tar party."

Prodded on by sharp questioning, Ricord made known a part of the plot against the young woman that had not before become public. He said that the scheme of the conspirators was for him to get Miss Chamberlain out on the lonely country road and commit an assault on her close to the place where the masked gang was concealed. The members of the party were to be witnesses of the assault and were then to disclose themselves and apply a coat of tar to her as a punishment. None of this tar of course was to be applied to Ricord.

Ricord testified that Miss Chamberlain resisted his advances so vigorously and was so persistent in her demands that he turn the buggy about and drive her home that he was unable to carry out his part of the program. However, that was not allowed to interfere with the tar party.

TAX VALUATIONS ON EXPRESS COMPANIES

Substantial Increase Over 1910 Is Shown in Report.

Columbus, O., Nov. 21.—Tax valuation for 1911, placed today on the property of the express companies in Ohio, show substantial increases over 1910 as follows:

Pacific Express, from $80,400, to $136,210; Southern, from $25,000 to $25,460; Wells Fargo, from $128,830, to $290,590; American, from $434,760, to $696,710. The valuation of the National, which was $33,730 in 1910, was decreased to $25,710 for 1911.

In actual taxes, the express companies will pay less money into the public treasuries this year than they did last, owing to the operation of the decreased tax rate.

FREMONT WILL BE DARK FOR ONE YEAR

Electric Light Company Puts One Over on People.

Fremont, O., Nov. 21.—There will be no electric lights in this city for nearly a year. Just prior to the election the city council authorized the service director to advertise for bids and contract for lighting the city, fixing limitation. After the election the electric light company secured signatures to a petition for an election suspending the whole proceeding until after the next general election. In the meantime the city must remain dark, as no contract can be awarded or provision made for the lighting.

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